

1970 NO PROMOTION FOR MAITLAND

LEADING GOAL SCORERS RESULTS POINTS FINALS SERIES

2ND DIVISION POINTS + GRAND FINAL RESULT

3RD DIVISION GRAND FINAL RESULTS

2ND DIVISION ALL GRADES POINT + SEASON REVIEW

AMPOL CUP SEMI-FINAL + FINAL

NORTHERN N.S.W. : INTER BRATISAVA

" " : ROMANIA

" " : SOUTHERN NSW

" " : ILLAWARRA

" " : MANCHESTER CITY

SOUTHERN NSW : VICTORIA

" " : QUEENSLAND

VICTORIA : S.A.

1971 1ST DIVISION RESULT POINTS TABLE

SEMI-FINAL, FINAL + GRAND-FINAL

PHOTO WESTON THIRD GRADE + 1ST GRADE

2ND DIVISION POINTS TABLE SEMI-FINAL FINAL + GRAND FINAL

AMPOL CUP FINAL

AUSTRALIA : ENGLAND

NORTHERN NSW : ENGLAND RESULTS TEAMS + PLAYERS PROFILE (N.NSW)

MOSCOW DYNAMOS TOUR

1972 ARTICLE FROM 1971 A.G.M. RE PROMOTION + RELEGATION

1ST DIVISION RESULTS POINTS APPEARANCES + GOAL SCORERS

SEMI-FINALS FINAL + GRAND-FINAL

PHOTO OF TORONTO - AWABA

AMPOL CUP SEMI-FINALS + FINAL

2ND DIVISION POINTS + GRAND-FINAL

DUNDEE UNITED TOUR

WOLVERHAMPTON WANDERS TOUR

AUSTRALIA : SANTOS

1973 ARTICLE NORTHERN FOOTBALL EXPLODES

MINUTES OF A.G.M. 1973

1ST DIVISION RESULTS APPEARANCES + GOAL SCORERS POINTS TABLE + MAYFIELD DETAIL

SEMI-FINALS FINAL + GRAND FINAL

PHOTO OF GRAND-FINAL TEAMS

ACTION PHOTO STEVE GOODWIN + BOGDEN DUMA

AMPOL CUP SEMI-FINAL + FINAL

2ND DIVISION POINTS TABLE SEMI-FINAL + GRAND-FINAL

NORTHERN N.S.W. : HITACHI

PHOTO OF HITACHI SIDE

NORTHERN NSW : AUSTRALIA PHOTO N.NSW SIDE + PLAYER PROFILES

ARTICLE TIME TO PAUSE

" IT COULD BE PRELUDE TO NEW ERA OPENING IN TOP SOCCER

" THIS IS A MOVE THAT MUST BE RESISTED TO THE END

1974 N.NSW : FERNVARS

1ST DIVISION RESULT POINTS MAYFIELD RESULTS APPEARANCES + GOAL SCORERS

SEMI-FINAL FINAL + GRAND FINAL PROGRAMME OF TEAMS 7.9.74

2ND DIVISION POINTS TABLE

GRAND FINAL TEAM + MATCH PREVIEW

AMPOL CUP SEMI-FINALS + FINAL

NORTHERN NSW : AUCKLAND

" " : ABERDEEN

PERSIDJA DAKARTA

1975 1ST RESULTS POINTS PLAYER APPEARANCE + GOAL SCORERS

SEMI-FINAL FINAL + GRAND FINAL

2ND DIVISION POINTS + GRAND FINAL

3RD " GRAND FINAL

AMPOL CUP SEMI-FINAL + FINAL

NORTHERN N.S.W. : MIDDLESBROUGH

1976 1ST DIVISION RESULTS POINTS APPEARANCES + GOAL SCORERS

SEMI-FINALS FINAL + GRAND FINAL

B.P. PRE-SEASON CUP SEMI-FINALS + FINAL

2ND POINTS TABLE

NORTHERN NSW : TOTTENHAM HOTSPURS

1977 1ST DIVISION REFEREES

" " RESULTS POINTS PLAYER APPEARANCES + GOAL SCORERS

SEMI-FINAL FINAL + GRAND-FINAL

PHOTO'S OF GRAND FINAL TEAMS

BP FINAL

2ND DIVISION POINTS TABLE

NORTHERN NSW : WAIRARAPA

" " : WELLINGTON U/23

" " : CENTRAL LEAGUE

" " : WELLINGTON XI

ARTICLE ON OUR REPRESENTATIVES (WESTON)

" " MAX LUCCESI

PHOTO WESTON RESERVE GRADE

1970 Season

10-1

Rumblings of Discontent.

No Promotion For Maitland Club.

The season opened with rumblings of discontent.

Maitland having won the 1969 Seconded Division Premiership and Grand Final were told that they would not be promoted for the new season.

"What a blow for any club", after spending big as did many 2ND DIVISION clubs to win Promotion, and then told "No Promotion".

~~Leppoch, the 2nd Division, would be retained.~~

The Northern Federation gave as its reason for no promotion, that it was to give all clubs the chance to consolidate, this of course was most unsatisfactory to the Maitland Club.

The simple solution would have been to promote Maitland and Runners up Mayfield United, or to have a 13 team competition, which is not a clever idea in having an odd number of teams. Football should be looked at to promote areas such as Raymond Terrace, Singleton, Muswellbrook Wyong etc etc.

These are must be encouraged?

The Point Score for 1ST DIVISION were:

Adamstown (Premiers) 32, Newcastle Austral 30,
Belmont Swansea 29, Toronto Awaba 27, Weston 21,
Wallend 21, Lake Macquarie 20, Hamilton Affurri 19,
Lessnock City 18, Landoff 17, West Wallend 15,
New Lambton 15.

West Wallend beat New Lambton on averages for last place.

1970

10-2

Leading 1st Div scorers were

Kevin Lagerstrom (Toronto Awaba) 21

Wayne Brough (Bel. Swansea) 19

Ken Whitmore (Adamstown) 17

Jimmy Woods (Lake Macquarie) 14

David Ahrens (West Wallsend) 12

Phil Slott (Wallsend) 10

Graham Cummings (Austral) 10

Ray Howells (Cessnock) 10

D Blake (Cardiff) 9

Ollie Bush (Ham. Azzurri) 9

John Power (Weston) 9

Jerry Sharpe (New Lambton) 6

Results	Adm	N/Auss	B/Swan	T/Awaba	Weston	Wallsend	L/mix	H/22	Cess City	Cardiff	W/Kill	N/Lamb		
Adamstown	X	0-2 1-2	1-2 7-2	2-3 3-2	3-2 3-1	1-0 2-1	2-1 3-2	1-1 6-1	0-2 2-1	5-1 8-2	6-1 3-3	3-2 6-0	32	PREMIERS
New. Austral	2-0 2-1	X	3-2 1-4	0-2 3-2	2-2 3-0	1-0 4-1	1-1 3-0	2-0 1-3	6-0 2-3	5-1 2-1	1-1 1-3	1-1 4-1	30	
Bel. Swansea	2-1 2-7	2-3 4-1	X	1-3 2-2	5-3 1-1	1-1 4-1	5-2 1-2	3-3 2-1	5-2 1-0	2-2 3-2	2-2 3-2	2-2 3-0	29	
Toronto Awaba	3-2 2-3	2-0 2-3	3-1 2-2	X	3-1 1-5	1-3 3-3	4-1 2-1	1-4 2-2	2-1 3-0	3-0 2-0	2-3 3-0	2-3 4-1	27	
Weston	2-3 1-3	2-2 0-3	3-5 1-1	1-3 5-1	X	2-1 2-1	1-0 1-2	3-1 2-0	8-2 2-3	3-0 1-2	2-3 5-2	0-1 1-1	21	
Wallsend	0-1 1-2	0-1 1-4	1-1 1-4	3-1 3-3	1-2 1-2	X	4-1 4-2	1-2 1-1	2-1 0-2	1-0 5-1	3-1 0-6	2-1 3-0	21	
Lake Macquarie	1-1 2-3	0-2 0-3	3-3 2-1	4-1 1-2	1-3 2-1	2-1 2-4	2-2 X	1-2 2-0	1-2 0-2	5-1 1-3	5-1 5-0	2-1 1-0	20	
Ham Azzurri	1-1 1-6	0-2 3-1	3-3 1-2	4-1 2-2	1-3 0-4	2-1 1-1	2-2 0-2	X	2-2 1-3	3-1 2-2	3-1 1-1	1-2 0-0	19	
Cessnock City	2-0 1-2	0-6 3-2	2-5 0-1	1-2 0-3	2-8 3-2	1-2 2-0	2-1 2-0	2-2 3-1	X	0-2 2-2	4-1 1-3	3-0 1-3	18	
Cardiff	1-5 2-8	1-5 1-2	2-2 2-3	0-3 0-2	0-3 2-1	0-1 1-5	1-5 3-1	1-3 2-2	2-0 2-2	X	6-2 2-1	2-1 4-1	17	
West Wallsend	1-6 3-3	1-1 3-1	2-2 2-3	3-2 0-3	3-2 2-5	1-3 6-0	1-5 0-5	1-3 1-1	1-4 3-1	2-6 1-2	X	1-2 2-2	15	
New Lambton	2-3 0-6	1-1 1-4	2-2 0-3	3-2 1-4	1-0 1-1	1-2 0-3	1-2 0-1	2-1 0-0	0-3 3-0	1-2 1-3	2-1 2-2	X	15	

1st Div Semi Final - Crystal Palace Walsend

10-3

5/9/1970

Swansea Belmont	3 v Toronto Aruba	1
Jock Bullen	Steve Goodburn	
Dave Guthrie	Billy Field	
Dave Mc Manus	B Pickles	
Alan Johns	Ray Stewart	
Alan Davies	Gary Randall	
Brian Perrin	Geoff Lench	
Kerry Pearson	Alan Moore	
Billy Davies (1)	John Penfold (1)	
Bob Burgoyne (2)	Alan Piggott	
Bobby Mason	Kevin Lagerstrom	
Wayne Brough	Barry Sharpe	
Referee Arthur Meddon		

1st Div Semi Final - Adamstown Oval

13/9/1970

Adamstown	4 v Newcastle Austral	2
Jim Dorman	D Butler	
Geoff Williams	Daryl Evans	
John Archibald	Sam Gordon	
Colin Peattie	Willie Gallagher	
Deck Bullen	R O'Hearne	
Colin Curran	Charlie Gowan	
Bong Johns	Ray Lloyd	
Peter Sawleigh	Jan Richardson	
Ken Whitmore	Eric Burns	
Ron Giles (3)	Graham Cummings	
Ivor Smythe (1)	Ken Jumble (2)	
Referee Bill Turner		

Final 20/9/1970

Belmont Swansea 2 v Newcastle Austral 1
Macquarie Field.

Jock Bullen	D Butler
Dave Guthrie	Daryl Evans
Dave McManus	Sam Gordon
Alan Johns (1)	Willie Gallagher
Alan Davies	R O'Hearne
Brian Perrin	Alf Skelly
Kerry Pearson	Ray Lloyd
Bill Davies	Ian Richardson
Bob Burgoyne	Eric Burns / G. Cummings (1)
Bobby Masson	Charlie Gowan
Wayne Brough (1)	Ken Swindle

Referee Billy Jones.

Grand Final (Macquarie Field 27/9/1970

Belmont Swansea	4 v Adamstown 3
Jock Bullen	Jim Dorman / R Hancock
Dave McManus	Geoff Williams
Dave Guthrie	John Archibald
Alan Johns	Colin Peattie
Alan Davies	Dick Bullen (1)
Brian Perrin	Colin Curran (1)
Kerry Pearson (2)	Doug Johns
Bill Davies	Peter Fairleigh / Terry Dobson
Bob Burgoyne (1)	Ken Whitmore
Bobby Masson (1)	Ron Giles
Wayne Brough	Trevor Smythe / John Clinton

Referee George Muir.

Maitland again won the Premiership & Grand Final undefeated.

Justice now had been done Maitland would be promoted to First Division for the 1971 season.

Maitland scored 105 goals to 17 against.

The point score reads.

Maitland 41 (Premier)

Charlestown RSL 34

Mayfield United 32

Jesmond 29

Central Coast Utd 25

Mexworth Advance 24

Stockton 23

Kotare South 17

West Lakes Utd 16

Lambton 10

Raymond Terrace 9

Whitebridge 4

Grand Final saw

Maitland 2 v Charlestown RSL 1

Third Division Grand Final

Bellbird 4 v Muswellbrook 1 at Weston.

Maitland Scores 105 Goals in Winning the Second Division

MAITLAND SCORED 105 GOALS IN ITS 22 MATCHES, OF WHICH IT WON 19 AND DREW THREE, IN WINNING THE SECOND DIVISION PREMIERSHIP - AND, WITH IT, PROMOTION TO THE TOP RANKS NEXT SEASON.

MAITLAND AVERAGED A LITTLE BETTER THAN SIX GOALS A MATCH,

ITS 105 GOALS WAS THE TOP TEAM-SCORING EFFORT IN ALL 10 GRADES CONDUCTED BY THE FEDERATION. MAITLAND WAS A MOST CONSISTENT SIDE AS ITS RECORD SHOWS AND WON ALL ITS MATCHES WELL.

Whitebridge also topped the century but in a different way. Its 132 goals

were on the debit side, it being the highest deficit in the Second Division, though Raymond Terrace's Reserve Grade team also had a century of goals scored against it.

ALSO UNBEATEN Mayfield United was another of the few undefeated teams, it winning the Second Division Re-

serve Grade competition. It had the best average in the federation competition, scoring 100 goals and losing only seven in its 22 matches, of which it won 20 and drew two, averaging 14.27 goals a game - easily the best in the federation's premierships.

Maitland's team in the same competition was also undefeated, winning 14 and drawing eight of its matches. But it finished six points behind the Mayfield United side.

GOOD EFFORT

Lambton Club's team put up a fine performance in the Under 16 Grade, winning the pennant by a margin of three points from Stockton Hellenic's side.

This was Lambton's first year in the competitions conducted by the federation and it has done well - and should improve if it can continue to turn out players of the calibre of those who played in the Under 16 side.

Final tables for the Second Division competition are -

1970

SENIOR GRADE	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
Maitland	22	19	3	0	105	17	41
Charlestown R.S.L.	22	16	2	4	58	15	34
Mayfield United	22	15	2	5	93	21	32
Jesmond	22	10	9	3	52	28	29
Central Coast	22	9	7	6	81	54	25
Merewether	22	10	4	8	50	42	24
Stockton Hellenic	22	9	5	8	67	56	23
Kotara South	22	7	3	12	53	60	17
West Lakes United	22	5	6	11	29	60	16
Lambton	22	4	2	16	36	96	10
Raymond Terrace	22	3	3	16	28	83	9
Whitebridge	22	2	0	20	32	132	4

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RESERVE GRADE	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
Mayfield United	22	20	2	0	100	7	42
Maitland	22	14	8	0	63	16	36
Charlestown R.S.L.	22	13	4	5	55	17	30
Merewether	22	13	2	7	69	29	28
Jesmond	22	11	5	6	49	28	27
Lambton	22	8	6	8	42	45	22
Central Coast	22	6	9	7	35	40	21
Kotara South	22	7	4	11	47	45	18
Stockton Hellenic	22	4	3	15	31	64	11
West Lakes United	22	4	2	16	23	92	10
Raymond Terrace	22	4	2	16	25	107	10
Whitebridge	22	3	3	16	24	73	9

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UNDER 16 GRADE	P	W	D	L	F	A	PTS
Lambton	22	17	3	2	88	10	37
Stockton Hellenic	22	16	2	4	52	24	34
Maitland	22	15	3	4	65	23	33
Whitebridge	22	15	2	5	68	30	32
Central Coast	22	12	3	7	69	42	27
Mayfield United	22	10	3	9	50	41	23
Merewether	22	10	2	10	37	35	22
Raymond Terrace	22	8	2	12	38	52	18
Charlestown R.S.L.	22	6	3	13	29	73	15
Jesmond	22	5	0	17	20	98	10
Kotara South	22	2	3	17	29	68	7
West Lakes United	22	2	2	18	22	71	6

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1970 Ampol Cup series

Semi Final (Crystal Palace Ground) 13/3/1970.

Toronto Awaba

1 v Adamstown

0

Steve Goodburn

Jim Dorman

Alan Moore

Basil Amato

B. Pickles

John Archibald

B. Stewart

Peter Fairleigh

Gary Randall

John Clinton

Geoff Finch

Doug Johns

K. Field (1)

Col Curran

John Penfold

Edward Howell

Alan Piggott

Tony Dobson

Kevin Lagerstrom

Ron Giles

Barry Sharpe

Ivor Smythe

Referee

Semi Final (Crystal Palace Ground) 13/3/1970

Maitland

3 v Weston

3

Steve Griffiths

John Smith

Mike Davies

Roy Johnson

J. Schafer

Tom Ineddon

Warry Pearce

Kerr Mc Lerie

Dick Wilkins

J. Taylor

Steve Toth

J. Daley

Dave Roberts

Tom Brown

Alan Povey

Tad Pele

Tommy Arrowsmith

Willie Barker (1)

Bogdan Duma (2)

Stefan Kamasz (2)

Brian Whitehead (1)

Jim Sloan

Referee Jack Smith.

Replay.

Replay at Crystal Palace Walsend.

Mactland 2. Weston 1

Steve Griffiths

John Smith

J. Schaffer

Roy Johnson

R Walker

H. Gilbert

Barry Pearce

Kerr Mc Lerie

Dick Wilkins

Tom Sneddon

Mike Davies

Jim Litchley (1)

Dave Roberts (1)

D. Jones

Alan Povey

Gary Heaney

Alan Roberts (2)

Willie Barker

Bogdan ~~Roberts~~ Duma

Stefan Kamey

Brian Whitehead

Kevin Duncan

Referee Jack Smith.

Ampol Cup Final (Crystal Palace Walsend) 20/3/1970

Toronto Awaba

1. ~~Walsend~~ ^{Mactland} 1

Steve Goodburn

Steve Griffiths

Alan Moore

J. Schaffer

B. Pickles

R Walker

A Stewart

Barry Pearce

Terry Randall

Dick Wilkins

Geoff Fench

Mike Davies

John Penfold

Dave Roberts

Alan Peggott (1)

Alan Povey

Kevin Lagerstrom

Alan Roberts

Barry Sharpe

Brian Whitehead

K Field

Bogdan Duma (1)

Referee Billy Jones.

Replay.

Final Replay Ampol Cup

Crystal Palace Ground Wellingborough

Toronto Awaba

4 v Maitland 3

Steve Goodburn	Steve Griffiths
Alan Moore	Steve Toth
B Pickles	R Walker
B. Stewart	Barry Pearce
Gary Randall	Dick Welkins
Geoff Finch	Mike Davies
John Penfold (2)	Dave Roberts
K Field	Alan Povey
Alan Piggott	Alan Roberts (1)
Kevin Lagerstrom (2)	Bogdan Duma (1)
Barry Sharpe	Brian Whitehead (1)

Referee Billy Jones

Ampol Cup Play off for 3rd and 4th

Crystal Palace Wellingborough 20/3/1970.

Adenestown

3. Weston

2

A Hancock	Mr Kiane
Peter Fairleigh	Roy Johnson
John Archibald	Kenn Mc Lerie
Geoff Williams	J Taylor
John Clinton	Tom Sneddon
Doug Johns	P. Lowan
Lolin Curran	John Power
Jerry Dobson (1)	Sad Pele
Dick Bullen	J. Litchley J. Litchley (1)
Ken Whitmore	Gary Heaney (1)
Trevor Smythe	Jem Sloan

Referee George Muir

1970

10-10

Northern NSW O v Inter Bratislava 7

Maguarie Field 26/1/1970.

Lester Forrester (Wallsend)	Majheni
Roy Johnson (Weston)	Gal Zoltan
Colin Curran (Adamstown)	Solin Peter
John Archibald (Adamstown)	Deutch Otto
Willie Gallagher (Austral)	Binovsky Alex
Sam Gordon (Austral)	Obloginsky Anton
Eric Burns (Austral)	Slovakovsky Jan
Ray Lloyd (Austral)	Lenicky Milan
Tom Sneddon (Weston)	Szikora Juraj
Ken Whitmore (Adamstown)	Petras Ladistar
Peter Irving (Ham Azzam)	Ondrajer Jan

Referee Billy Jones.

Northern NSW O v Romania 7

Lester Forrester (Wallsend)	Adanache
Roy Johnson (Weston)	Ivanescu
Colin Curran (Adamstown)	Badin
Willie Gallagher (Austral)	Popovic
Sam Gordon (Austral)	Anchelescu
Eric Burns (Austral)	Pescaru
Ray Lloyd (Austral)	Grozea
Peter Irving (Ham Azzam)	Iupan
Bogdan Duma (Maitland)	Both
Ken Whitmore (Adamstown)	Kallo
Tom Sneddon (Weston)	Tartaru

Referee Billy Jones.

1970

10-11

Southern N S W 2 v Northern N S W 0

Arlington Oval 30/3/1970.

Bill Rooke / Kelly	Forbes Wood (New Lambton) / A Goodburn (Tor. Awaba)
Roche / Harcombe	John Archibald (Adamstown)
Teefer / Xipolitas	Willie Gallagher (Austral)
Rootsey	Alan Davies (Swan Belmont)
Wilson	Sam Gordon (Austral) / D Howell (Ham Aggum)
Yaager	Peter Irving (Ham Aggum)
Darogwites / Armitage	Geoff Finch (Tor. Awaba)
Mc Callum / Griffiths	Ray Lloyd (Austral)
Manuel (2)	Eric Burns (Austral) / Chas Govan (Austral)
Kiddie	Boylan Duma (Maritland)
Montgomery / Rooney	Brian Whitehead (Maritland)
	Referee N. Jones.

Northern N S W

1 v Southern N S W 3

Adamstown Oval 13/6/1970.

Jock Bullen (Bel Swansea) / A Goodburn (Tor Awaba)	Haffey / Kelly
Roy Johnson (Weston)	Roche / Wilson
Tom Sneddon (Weston)	Yaager
Willie Gallagher (Austral)	Watkins
Colin Curran (Adamstown) / John Archibald (Adamstown)	Marmock
Geoff Finch (Tor Awaba)	Wright
Ray Lloyd (Austral)	Abonyi (1)
Alan Roberts (Central Coast)	Warren / McKinnon (1)
Ron Giles (Adamstown)	Brastz (1)
Peter Irving (Ham Aggum) / C. Govan (Austral)	Schneider
Brian Whitehead (1) Maritland	Campbell
	Referee

1970 Interstate Match at Adamstown

10-12

Northern N S W 1 v Southern N S W 3

Jock Bullen (Bel Swansea) / Steve Goodburn (Tor Arwaba)

Roy Johnson (Weston)

Tom Sneddon (Weston)

Willie Gallagher (Australas)

Colin Lumsden (Adamstown) / John Archibald (Adamstown)

Geoff Fench (Tor Arwaba)

Ray Lloyd (Australas)

Alan Roberts (Central Coast)

Ron Giles (Adamstown)

Peter Irving (Hem Affanni) / Chris Govan (Australas)

Brian Whitehead (1) (Maitland)

Northern N S W 1 v Illawarra 1

Steve Goodburn (Tor Arwaba)

Gary Tapper (Bel Swansea)

Willie Gallagher (Australas)

Tom Sneddon (Weston)

B Peckles (Tor Arwaba)

Jack Routledge (New Lambton)

Charlie Govan (Australas)

Geoff Fench (Tor Arwaba)

Wayne Brough (Bel Swansea)

Bogdan Duma (Maitland)

Brian Whitehead (1) (Maitland)

*** Would you please note G Tapper was an 4/16 Representative player promoted to 1st Division.

1970

10-13

Northern N S W 1 v Manchester City 4

~~Jack Bullen~~ Macquarie Field 27/5/1970.

Jack Bullen (Bel Swansea)

Roy Johnson (Weston)

Tom Sneddon (Weston) John Archibald (Adamstown)

Willie Gallagher (Australis)

Colin Lissan (Adamstown)

Ray Lloyd (Australis)

Peter Irving (Ham Aggum)

Geoff Finch (Tor. Awaba)

Alan Roberts (Central Coast)

Ron Giles (Adamstown)

Brian Whitehead (1) Maitland

Reserves.

Steve Goodburn (Tor. Awaba)

Dave Howells (Ham Aggum)

Charlie Govan (Australis)

Bogdan Duma (Maitland)

Referee George Muir.

West Australia	1	v Manchester City	1
Southern N S W	1	"	2
Queensland	0	"	3
Victoria	0	"	3
South Australia	0	"	4
Southern N S W	0	"	4

1970

10-14

Southern NSW 2 v Victoria 2

Southern NSW 1 v Victoria

Southern NSW 3 v Queensland 0

Official opening of Perry Park

Victoria 1 v South Australia (Hindmarsh Stadium 14/6/1970

1971

10-15

Was a 12 team 1st Div Competition.
 Weston were Premiers and Grand Final winners.
~~The present season.~~

1971 1st Grade Results	Weston	Wallend	Adamstown	H. Aggarri	Maitland	Cardiff	Jor. Awaba	Lake Macg	Australi	Bel. Swans	Westhills	Cessnock	Points
Weston	X	2.2 1.4	2.1 5.5	1.1 3.0	0.4 1.0	1.2 2.1	3.0 1.1	3.1 3.4	5.1 4.0	4.0 4.1	3.2 4.2	3.2 3.0	32
Wallend	2.2 4.1	X	3.0 0.4	4.0 0.0	3.1 1.0	3.2 2.2	1.2 2.2	2.1 0.0	0.0 0.1	4.0 3.0	0.0 0.2	2.2 4.1	30
Adamstown	1.2 5.5	0.3 4.0	X	3.1 0.0	0.0 1.4	3.1 0.0	7.1 3.0	5.0 2.3	7.0 6.1	3.4 2.2	5.0 5.0	5.0 5.0	29
H. Aggarri	1.1 0.3	0.4 0.0	1.3 0.0	X	0.2 2.1	2.0 1.2	1.3 6.2	3.0 0.1	3.2 3.2	7.3 0.1	1.0 1.0	2.0 2.0	25
Maitland	4.0 0.1	0.1 1.3	0.0 4.1	2.0 1.2	X	2.3 5.3	1.1 0.2	0.1 4.3	1.3 2.2	5.2 3.3	4.1 2.0	4.0 2.3	22
Cardiff	1.2 2.1	2.3 2.2	1.3 0.0	0.2 2.1	3.2 3.5	X	0.0 1.0	2.0 0.0	1.1 2.0	2.0 2.0	3.4 1.3	0.2 3.3	22
Jor. Awaba	0.3 1.1	2.1 2.2	1.7 0.3	3.1 2.6	1.1 2.0	0.0 0.1	X	2.1 0.4	3.1 2.2	1.3 2.0	2.1 3.2	1.3 2.3	21
Lake Macg	4.3 1.3	1.2 0.0	0.5 3.2	0.3 1.0	1.0 3.4	0.2 0.0	1.2 4.0	X	4.3 2.3	0.2 1.2	2.1 1.2	4.1 1.1	19
Australi	4.0 1.5	0.0 1.0	0.7 1.6	2.3 2.3	3.1 2.2	1.1 0.2	1.3 2.2	3.4 3.2	X	0.2 3.0	3.3 3.4	1.0 3.2	17
Bel. Swans	0.4 1.4	0.4 0.3	4.3 2.2	3.7 1.0	2.5 3.3	0.2 0.2	3.1 0.2	2.0 2.1	0.3 2.0	X	0.0 1.5	2.4 2.1	17
Westhills	2.4 2.3	0.0 2.6	0.5 0.5	0.1 0.1	1.4 0.2	4.3 3.2	0.2 2.3	1.2 2.1	3.3 4.3		X	1.2 4.2	15
Cessnock	2.3 0.3	1.4 2.2	0.5 0.5	0.2 0.2	0.4 3.2	2.0 3.3	3.1 3.2	1.4 1.1	2.3 0.1	4.2 1.2	2.1 2.4	X	15

Prayers used.

Weston.

Jim Sloan (22) Roy Johnson (22) Kerr Mc Lerie (21) Alan Cooper (22)
 Ken Worden (21) Sturat Kamasz (21) J. Wolffs (1) John Bond (18) John Smith (3)
 Tom Sneddon (20) Forbes Wood (19) J. Taylor (16) Alan McDonald (10)
 J. Crotchley (4) J. Bell (2) P. Mitchell (2) Willie Barker (1) Stefan Kamasz (19)

Scorers. Sloan (21) Worden (8) Stefan Kamasz (8) Cooper (6) Sturat Kamasz (4)
 Bond (3) Johnson (2) Sneddon (2) Mc Lerie (1) Barker (1)

1971 was a 12 team 1ST DIV competition.

Weston were Premiers + Grand Final winners.

The point score is

Weston 32, Wallend 30, Adamstown 29, Hamilton Azzurri 25
 Maitland 22 Cardiff 22 Toronto Awaba 21
 Lake Macquarie 19 Austral 17 Belmont Swansea 17
 West Wallend 15 Lessnock 15.

The leading 1ST DIV club scorers were

Ron Giles (Adamstown) 21
 B. Thompson (Bel Swans) 12
 Paul Queenan (Cardiff) 11
 Robert Versey, Warren Halverson (Lessnock) 7
 Gary Rongard (Azzurri) 10
 G. Hall (Lake Macquarie) 9
 Graham Cummings (Austral) 14
 Bogdan Duma (Maitland) 23
 Kevin Lagerstrom (Tor. Awaba) 9
 Stan Juchniewicz (Wallend) 12
 Ken Whitmore (West Wallend) 13
 Jim Sloan (Weston) 19

Players used

Adamstown: - Ron Giles (22) Dick Bullen (22) John Clinton (21)
 Trevor Smythe (19) Jerry Dobson (20) R Hancock (17)
 Chas Gowan (21) Doug Johns (18) Basil Arratoon (17)
 Willie Gallagher (14) Eric Burns (15) Peter Stone (8)
 Gary Nesbitt (7) Ian Richardson (7) W Walker (5)
 Colin Peattie (3) S. Smith (3) Geoff Williams (1)
 Warwick Alexander (2) Peter Fairleigh (1)

Scorers

Giles (21) Johns (20) Stone (1) Burns (1) Clinton (3)
 Dobson (8) Richardson (4) Smith (2) Bullen (1) Gowan (7)
 Alexander (2) Smythe (1) Nesbitt (1)

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Belmont Swansea

Brian Perrin (22) Jock Bullen (22) Alan Davies (21)
Dave Guthrie (17) Alan Johns (17) B Thompson (19) Billy Davies (14)
Dave Mc Manus (18) Jerry Burgoyne (10) B Jaffer (14) Jerry Barr (14)
Greg Fitts (10) Norm Scott (10) J Carr (1) R Harrison (5)
R Judd (6) L Lorrimer (5) John Kaiser (2) J. Chapman (1)
J. Cashman (1) C Warwick (1)

Scorers.

A Davies (1) Lorrimer (1) Barr (3) Fitts (2) Thompson (12) Jaffer (3)
Burgoyne (3) Perrin (1) Kaiser (1) Guthrie (1) Scott (1)

Cardiff

G. Walker (22) Bob Hobson (22) Paul Queenan (22) L Evans (22)
Warren Whalstead (21) A Aurisch (20) J. Convery (19)
J. Hobson (16) K Ford (14) A Howe (13) A Sturgeon (13)
Howard Faith (12) Ian Thompson (10) Warren Rendell (8)
G. Smith (4) G. Baldwin (4) R Blaikie (1)

Scorers

Queenan (11) Thompson (4) Blaikie (1) Convery (3) Evans (2)
Rendell (4) Ford (3) Sturgeon (1) Whalstead (2)
R Hobson (1) J. Hobson (1)

Cessnock

John Hogg (22) Warren Halverson (20) Phil Knipe (19)
 Stuart Jackson (19) Steve O'Neill (18) P. Durie (21)
 Robert Versey (19) G. Stoker (13) Ray Howells (15) K. Drage (14)
 Jim Orr (10) G. Howson (13) Di Powell (11) H. Stewart (7)
 A Oswald (8) K. Duncan (4) P. Whitfield (4) D. Davies (1)
 Col. Summerhill (2) K. Broadbent (2)

Scores.

Howell (4) Versey (6) Halverson (6) Drage (3) Jackson (2)
 Orr (4) Stoker (1) Broadbent (1) Powell (1) O'Neill (1)

Hamilton Azzurri

G. Norgard (22) M. Heath (22) A. Busley (21) D. Howell (22)
 Boris Bendewoski (22) George Strong (20) P. Hodgins (16)
 Merv Black (19) D. Dunne (17) B. Japji (11) P. Gleeson (10)
 M. Davis (10) O. Bush (8) Peter Irving (5) P. Roberts (7) B. Gill (4)
 P. Andersberg (3) A. McCormack (5) B. Hill (1)

Scores

Norgard (10) Dunne (9) Black (6) Strong (4) Roberts (3)
 Irving (2) Bush (1) Davis (1).

Lake Macquarie

Arthur Brady (22) Wayne Leary (22) R Beckler (20)
 D Smith (21) K. Leary (20) Ken Gabriel (18) D Stewart (21)
 G. Hall (15) G. Turner (18) Geoff Boardman (16) Bruce White (11)
 W Winnacysz (8) Graham Bull (8) Tom Hinchcliffe (6)
 R Dick (2) Klaus Misch (4) W Parry (2) Mc Dougall (3)
 K Japp (2) Ian Richardson (3) B Boselem (1) R Leggett (1)

Scorers

Hall (9) Leary (7) White (6) Smith (4) Winnacysz (4) Turner (2)
 Bull (1) Boardman (1)

Newcastle Australs

Wally Kallour (22) Daryl Evans (22) P. O'Hearne (20) K Pearson (20)
 R O'Hearne (19) G. Cummings (21) G. Pasalie (16) D Butler (10)
 A Dundas (15) A Fodeas (15) Robbie Lassance (12) R Davies (12)
 Ray Lloyd (7) P. Cliss (8) S. Pacanin (5) W Weale (4)
 R Milcevic (4) W Lee (2) J Sait (2) R Stubbs (1) D Wallace (1)
~~G. Sait~~ G. Semelna (1) M Vas (1) Ken Swindle (1)
 K Sharpe (1) C Burt (1)

Scorers

Cummings (14) Pasalie (7) Kallour (5) Lloyd (1)
 Pearson (3) P. O'Hearne (1) Fodeas (1) Cliss (2) Milcevic (1)

West Wallund

Sel Malbott (22) John Sneddon (22) D Jones (20)
 Steve Harmey (18) John London (17) David Ahrens (18)
 Adam Durkott (16) Col Coutts (18) Claude Pendlebury (11)
 Ken Whitmore (14) W Grimwood (9) Paul John (10)
 Ray Bowles (6) Bill Pryce (6) P. Kemp (7) A Blacker (4)
 G. Craig (7) J Bowie (5) B. Dixon (4) J Smith (3)
 W Armstrong (2) Paul Gee (2) W Lonsdale (1)

Scorers

Whitmore (13) Durkott (4) Harmey (8) Ahrens (2)
 Coutts (3) Bowles (2) London (1) Pryce (1) Pendlebury (1)

Weston

Jim Sloan (22) Roy Johnson (22) Kerr Mc Lerie (21)
 Alan Cooper (22) Ken Worden (21) Stuart Kamaz (21)
 J Wolfs (1) John Bond (18) Stefan Kamaz (19)
 Tom Sneddon (20) J Smith (3) Forbes Wood (19)
 J Taylor (16) Alan McDonald (10) J Critchley (4)
 J. Bell (2) P. Mitchell (2) Willie Barker (1)

Scorers

Sloan (21) Worden (8) Kamaz (8) Cooper (6)
 Stuart Kamaz (4) Bond (3) Johnson (2) Sneddon (2)
 Mc Lerie (1) Barker (1)

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Semi Final at Adamstown, 5/9/1971

Hamilton Aguzzi	2 v Adamstown	1
Boris Bendewski	R Hancock	
M Tapp	Willie Gallagher	
Mal Heath	Deck Bullen	
A Burley	Basil Arratoon	
D Howells	John Clinton	
P. Hodgins	Ivor Smythe	
Peter Inwing	Charlie Govan	
Merv Black	I Smith	
Gary Rongard (1)	Jerry Dobson	
George Strong	Ron Giles (1)	
Steve Dunne	Ian Richardson	

Referee Arthur Sneddon

Semi Final at Macquarie Field 12/9/1971

Weston	1 v Wallend	0
Forbes Wood	Lester Forrester	
Roy Johnson	I Thompson	
Kerr Mc Lerie	K R Cross	
Tom Sneddon	John Pothers	
J. Taylor	Alan Russell	
John Bond	P Slott	
Alan Cooper	Stan Juchmesuz	
Stuart Kamasz	Lee Hayes	
Jem Sloan (1)	A Mulawa	
Stefan Kamasz	Bruce Tracey	
Ken Wooden	Bruce Morrow	

Referee Bill Turner

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10-17

Final at Crystal Palace 19/9/1971

Wallsend	0 v Hamilton Azzurri	0
Lester Forrester	Boris Bendewski	
J Thompson	B. Tapp	
Bruce Tracey	A Burley	
John Parkes	M Heath	
Alan Russell	D Howells	
P. Slott	P. Hodgins	
Bruce Morrow	Peter Irving	
S. Mulawa	Merv Black	
S. Juchnicuz	Gary Horgard	
Vic Hayes	George Strong	
Kerry Dobson	S. Duane	
Referee Billy Jones.		

Replay Final

Wallsend	5 v Hamilton Azzurri	0
Lester Forrester	Boris Bendewski	
J Thompson	B. Tapp	
K Cross	A Burley	
John Parkes	M Heath	
Alan Russell	D Howells	
P. Slott	P. Hodgins	
Bruce Morrow (1)	Merv Black	
Vic Hayes (1)	Gary Horgard	
S. Mulawa	P. Gleeson	
Bruce Tracey (1)	Peter Irving	
Stan Juchnicuz (2)	S. Duane	
Referee Billy Jones.		



THIRD GRADE

BACK ROW: R. RICHARDSON, S. TURNBULL, D. TURNBULL, P. KILLEN, J. ANDERSON, W. CRUMP, T. PELC, G. FOX, A. COOPER, J. SLOAN (COACH).
 FRONT ROW: T. LYNCH (MASSEUR), S. AUSTIN, G. MORTON, B. QUINN, P. MILNE, S. TOWNSEND, J. BEATTY (PRESIDENT).

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Grand Final Macquarie Field 26/9/1971

Weston S v Wallaseed 0

Forbes Wood	Lester Forrester
Roy Johnson	I Thompson
Kerr Mc Lerie	K Cross
Tom Sneddon	John Parkes
J. Taylor	Alan Russell
John Bond (1)	P. Slott
Alan Cooper (1)	Bruce Morrow
Stuart Kamasz (1)	Vic Hayes
Jim Sloan	S. Mulawa
Stefan Kamasz (1)	Bruce Tracey
Ken Worden (1)	Stan Juchnicuz

Referee George Muir

** Please note Referee Muir made his 401 1st Grade appearance in this Grand Final.



Back Row — K. Worden, J. Taylor, W. Barker, A. McDonald, R. Johnson.
Middle Row — T. Lynch (Masseur), Stewart Kamasz, Stefan Kamasz, K. McLerie, M. Lucchesi (coach).
Front Row — A. Cooper, J. Sloan, F. Wood, J. Bond (capt.), T. Snedden.

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1971 Season

Second Division Point Score

New Lambton	40
Mayfield United	36
Jesmond Wallsend RSL	36
Charlestown RSL	33
Central Coast United	25
Kotara South	22
West Lakes United	17
Merewether Advance	16
Raymond Terrace	14
Lambton	11
Broadmeadow	10
Bellbird	8

Second Semi Finals

Charlestown RSL	3	Jesmond Wallsend RSL	1
New Lambton	2	Mayfield United	0

Final

Mayfield United	1	Charlestown RSL	0
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Grand Final at Crystal Palace 25/9/1971

Mayfield United	2	New Lambton	0
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Ampol Cup Final

Crystal Palace Wallend.

New Lambton

2 v Adamstown 1

Barry Hawkins

R Hancock

Bill Luck

Basil Arratoon

B Goodman

Deck Bullen

Brian Clarke

Colin Peattie

B Richards

John Clinton / Geoff Williams

Jem Foley (1)

Peter Stone

Peter Dawhurst (1)

Doug Johns

Greg Schott

Smith / R. Burns

Wayne Brough

Ron Giles (1)

Jack Routledge

G. Kerbutt

Kelly Strong

Ivor Smythe

Referee.

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10-22

Australia	0 v	England	1	Sydney Sports Ground
Reilly		Grimmett		
Keith		Hindley		
Wilson		Stephenson		
Watkins		Eddy		
Curran		Wall		
Rooney		Keen		
Richards		Mills		
Baarty		Piper		
Blue		Chilton		
Alston		Watson (?)		
Abonyi/Korman		Garland/The Vite		

Referee Tony Boskovic

Australia	0 v	England	1	(Olympic Park)
Reilly		Grimmett		
Keith		Hindley		
Wilson		Wall		
Watkins		Keen		
Curran		Stephenson		
Rooney		Eddy		
Richards		Piper		
Baarty		Mills		
Blue/Tolson		Watson (?)		
Alston		Chilton		
Abonyi		Garland		

Referee G. Harrison

South Australia	0 v	England	5
West Australia	1 v	"	6.

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Northern N & W v England 3

Crystal Palace Wallend 3/6/1971 (Floodlights)

Boris Bendowski (Azzurri)

R O'Keefe (Australis)

Roy Johnson (Weston)

Alan Davies (Bel Swansea)

Tom Sneddon (Weston)

John Bond (Weston)

Eles Govan (Adamstown)

Geoff Finch (Tor. Awaaba)

Gra Giles (Adamstown)

Raydon Dums (Maitland)

Brian Whitehead (Maitland)

Reserves

Lester Forrester (Wallend)

Daryl Evans (Australis)

Peter Dewhurst (New Lambton)

Bruce Tracey (Wallend)

Referee George Muir

Scores

Mc Vitie

Eddy

Watson

Victoria 1 v England 3

J. Wallace (1)

Keen (2) Garland (1)

Hobart 0 v England 8

Chilton (3) Keen (2) Bagdas (1) Garland (1) Piper (1)

Queensland 0 v England 9.

Photo Left to Right

Back Row. I Forrester, A Davies, D. Evans J. Bond

R. Johnson, B. Buma B. Bendowski B. Whitehead

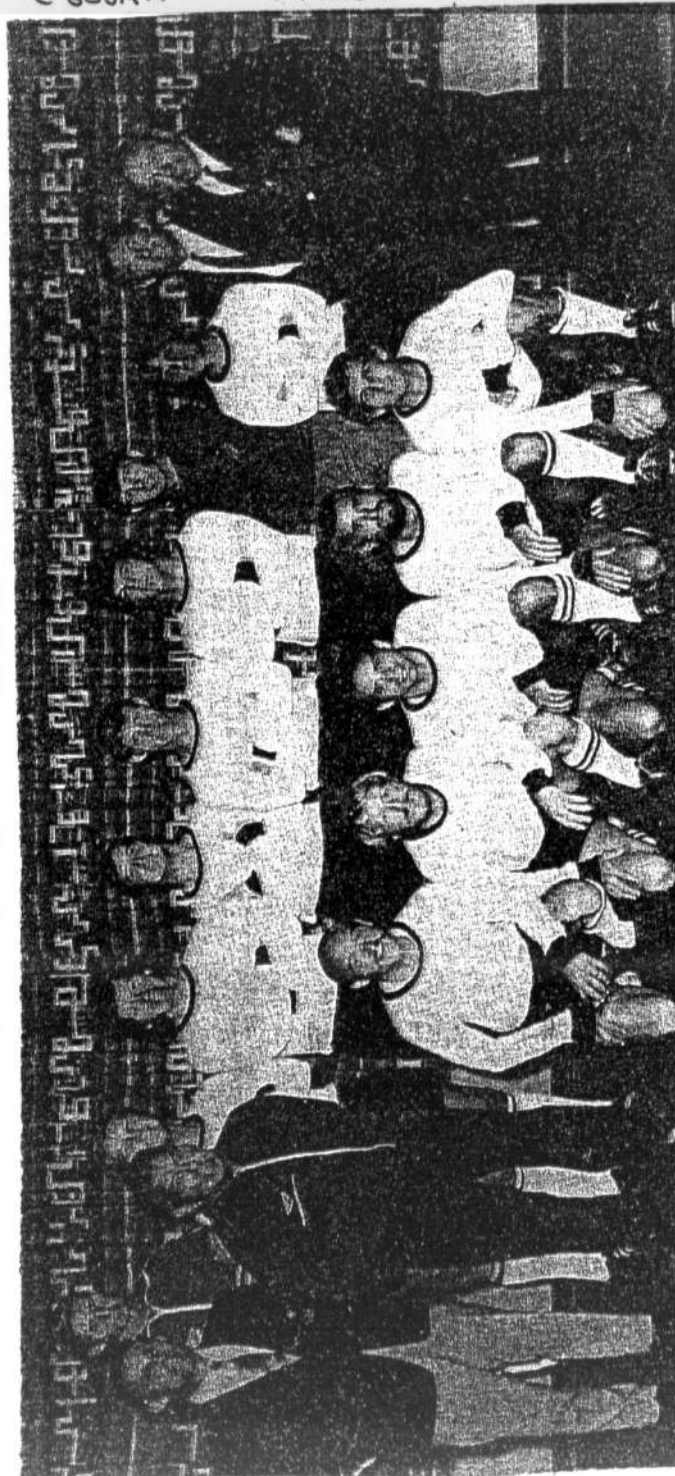
Bill Baron, Bill Jones.

Front Row Standing A Sweeney, M. Williams

Front Row Kneeling. Peter Dewhurst, R. Giles, J. Sneddon

C GOVAN

G FINCH



MEMBERS OF THE NORTHERN SOCCER FEDERATION TEAM, WHICH IS TO MEET THE VISITING ENGLISH F. A. TEAM AT THE CRYSTAL PALACE GROUND, WALLSEND, ON WEDNESDAY JUNE 2, WITH OFFICIALS, FEDERATION PRESIDENT BILL JONES, TEAM MANAGER ALAN SWEENEY, COACH BILL BARON AND TRAINER MONA WILLIAMS.....

NORTH'S TEAM HAS BEEN WELL RECEIVED BY CODE'S FOLLOWERS & IS EXPECTED TO SHOW OUT

THE NORTHERN N.S.W. FEDERATION TEAM HAS CAUSED WIDESPREAD DISCUSSION AND FRIENDLY ARGUMENT AMONG THE GAME'S BIG LEGION OF FOLLOWERS.

AS USUAL, FAULT HAS BEEN FOUND WITH THE SELECTORS BUT THAT OF COURSE, IS THE CUSTOMARY RIGHT OF SOCCER FOLLOWERS, BUT THERE HAS, IN GENERAL, BEEN AGREEMENT THAT, ALL IN ALL, THE SELECTORS HAVE DONE WELL.

THEY HAVE BLENDED YOUTH WITH EXPERIENCE. IT IS CLEARLY EVIDENT THE SELECTORS ENDEAVOURED TO FORM A SQUAD FROM WHICH A TEAM TO DO MUCH TO REVIVE THE NORTH'S SOCCER PRESTIGE CAN BE FIELD

EXPECTING MUCH.

It would be expecting much to suggest that the side is good enough to upset the team the English Football Association will field but there is confidence that the team will do well... and that is all Northern Soccer supporters will expect of it.

A win would be a bonanza but it is essential that the team make a good showing and since it has been so well planned, there is no reason why it should not do so.

Let's take a look at the players in the squad and their histories in the game...



CHARLES GOVAN...
The Team Captain, is 28, and married, with two children. He cannot remember not playing Soccer. He was always a member of successful school teams, the best of which was Ashfield Secondary School which reached the final of the All-Ireland F.A. Cup.

For three consecutive years he was a member of the team winning the Schools' League Competition. He represented Ireland schoolboys on five occasions against England, Scotland, Wales and Eire (twice) and also represented County Down in the Irish Counties competition.

At 15 he signed for the English First Division side, Burnley spent five seasons with the Club during which time he was one of the very few Irish youths to represent an English county, Lancashire. He played in Burnley's teams in the English Youth Cup Championship. He transferred to Mansfield Town at the age of 20, after reaching the Burnley Reserve Grade Team which won the Central League. He played with Mansfield first team in the third Division but, in the second season with it, sustained injuries and returned to Ireland to sign with the Irish League Club, Portadown. He later returned to England, married, had a season in the Midland League and decided to come to Australia, where he signed for Newcastle Austral and represented the North in several fixtures. At the start of this season he transferred to Adamstown.

FINE CAREER.

RON GILES... represented in schoolboy and junior Soccer and started his senior soccer at the age of 16 with Cardiff. He played one season with Newcastle Austral winning the "Sydney Morning Herald" Best



RON GILES
VICE CAPTAIN.

and Fairest Player Award. He had five years with Wallsend and transferred to South Sydney Croatia. He captained Croatia for two years and then came back to Adamstown, after three years in Sydney. He coached Adamstown in the first season and has been captain during the past three seasons. He represented the North against Heart of Midlothian, Chelsea, Everton, Manchester City and also toured New Zealand with a Northern side.

He represented N.S.W. against A.S. Roma, Manchester United and in matches against sides from all other States. He represented Australia in the World Cup elimination series in Phnom Penh and toured Asia with an Australian side, playing in Cambodia, Singapore Hong Kong. He played for Australia in three tests against Scotland. He has never been sent off the field.

TOM SNEDDEN... A Weston Bears stalwart who is 27, married with two children. He is a Boilermaker by trade. Born at Weston he played junior football with the town's teams. He played First Division football



TOM SNEDDON

with Cessnock for four seasons, then moved to South Sydney Croatia for two seasons, and then returned to play with Weston. He has been a regular member of Northern sides since 1964, and toured New Zealand with a Northern N.S.W. team in 1965.



ROY JOHNSON
ONE OF THE BEARS.

ROY JOHNSON... Another of the Weston Bears was born in England and is 24. He played junior football with Preston North End and as a professional with Burscough in the Lancashire Combination. He migrated in 1968 to play with Weston. He has been a regular member of Northern squads in the last three years. He was coached by Bobby Langton who toured Australia

with an English F.A. side in 1951.



JOHN BOND... From Weston is 24, married, with one child. He also hails from Preston. He was a professional apprentice with Preston North End for three years starting at the age of 15. He spent a season with Southport, a season with Lancashire City, Skelmers Dale, Morecambe. After two years with Rossendale United he migrated to Australia in August 1970, to play with Weston. This season he is the Club's Assistant Coach.



BORIS BENDEVSKI

TOP KEEPER.

BORIS BENDEVSKI... who is 24, is married and is a Fitter by trade. He arrived in Australia in January, 1966, from Yugoslavia, his native country, where he played Soccer in junior grades until he was 16. He then joined a State Lea-

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gue XI with which he played for about three years.

In Australia in 1966-67 he played with Slavia United and then transferring to Hamilton Azzurri where he has been since. This is his first representative team experience.



- LESTER FORRESTER

WALLSEND STALWART. LESTER FORRESTER... whose age is 22 is a Carpenter. He was born in Wallsend and played all his junior football with Wallsend. He was 18 when taken into the Wallsend Senior Club. He represented the North against Inter-Braterslavia Rumania and an Australian XI.



PETER DEWHURST

PETER DEWHURST... was born in Burnley, England, 28 years ago. He played as a Lancashire amateur, then went to Halifax Town in the English Football League Fourth Division, to Clitheroe as a non-

League professional and to Australia in 1966 to play with Corinthians. He then came to Newcastle to play with Hamilton Azzurri. He transferred this season to New Lambton. He represented the North against Queensland and against an Australian XI.



ALAN DAVIES -

CARDIFF JUNIOR.

ALAN DAVIES... who is 22, played all his junior football with Cardiff, representing in all grades. He moved to the Cardiff senior team then transferred to Belmont-Swansea playing for that Club for the past five seasons. He represented the North against Southern N.S.W. and Moscow Dynamo.

RONALD O'HEARN... who is 21, began with Lambton juniors at the age of seven and played with them until 15 when a change was made to the Newcastle Austral Club junior Division. At 16, he transferred to Newcastle Austral seniors and has been with them ever since. He represented Newcastle Schools against Sydney Primary Schools and when at High School, was a member of the Combined High Schools team against South Australia. He played in three tests and was awarded a State Blue by the Combined N.S.W. High Schools Athletics Association.

DARRYL EVANS... Started his Soccer when seven (12 years ago), with Mayfield United. When 11, he transferred to Merewether Juniors, remaining with them until 15. He played in all representative teams



DARRYL EVANS -

from 13 years to 15 years. He was in the winning 13 years Country Championship team. He toured Queensland with the Under 14 team which was undefeated and was a member of the team winning the Under 15 State Championship. He joined Newcastle Austral and became a member of the Northern N.S.W. Under 16 representative team which won the Australian Championship in South Australia in 1968. He joined the Austral senior team in 1968 and has been a regular member since. He was one of the Northern N.S.W. Team which played Queensland at the International Sports Centre when 17 and at 18, played in the Northern squad against Austral at Macquarie Field.



- GEOFF FINCH

GEOFF FINCH... born in Toronto 20 years ago and played all his junior and senior football with Toronto-Awaba. He represented the North against Manchester City Inter-Braterslavia, Rumania, Southern N.S.W. and an Australian XI. He is a Mine Surveyor.



BRIAN WHITEHEAD -

BRIAN WHITEHEAD... who is 25 was born in Sheffield, England. He played with Barnsley, Sheffield United, and Sheffield Wednesday. He joined Maitland in 1968 and is still playing for Maitland. He has been a regular member of Northern Squads in the 1970 season.



- BOGDEN DUMA -

FINE FORWARD.

BOGDEN DUMA... born in Geottingen, Germany 22 years ago. He came to Australia at an early age. He played for Maitland juniors and was promoted to the senior team in 1966. He played against Herta Berlin in 1970. He has been a member of the Northern squad since 1970.

BRIAN TRACEY... of Wallsend, is 22. He began his Soccer with Granville Waratahs before transferring to Prague with which he played for six seasons before moving to Wallsend. He was a member of the Australian squad of 25 from which the Australian World Cup team was selected. He has played for Southern N.S.W. teams against Victoria and Greece.



- BILL BARON -

BILL BARON... The team coach was born at Preston in Lancashire. Played for Preston North End and Liverpool. On his discharge from the British Army in 1949, Baron joined Lancashire City, a non-league club until 1954 having made more than 300 first team appearances at outside right and right full-back. Moved to Morecambe F.C. until 1957. Arrived in Australia 1961 to play for Gladesville-Ryde. Transferred to Newcastle Austral as player-coach in 1962. He represented the North against Everton. Now coaching Maitland.



TOP OFFICIAL.

ALAN SWEENEY... The Team Manager, is the Secretary of Lake Macquarie Soccer Club, having held that position for the past three years. He has been a committee man at Lake Macquarie for 10 years.

MONA WILLIAMS... the squad's trainer has been associated with Soccer for 20 years, the last 10 with Belmont-Swansea Club. Formerly a top professional bike rider he held State Titles in 1935 then returned to his first love - Soccer. He has been the Northern N.S.W. team trainer for the past five seasons. He visited Adelaide with the Northern Under 16 team which won the Australian Championship.

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Moscow Dynamos Tour (5 matches)

West Australia	3 v	Dynamos	3
Southern N S W	3 v	"	5
South Australia	0 v	"	6
Victoria	0 v	"	0
Southern N S W	2 v	"	1

PROMOTION AND RELEGATION

At the annual meeting in 1971 the clubs adopted the suggestion from the Advisory Panel that the number of teams be reduced from four to three in each club. The result, it is hoped, will be a better standard of football in both first and second division. Certainly the clubs must make a saving in expense which should mean more money to spend on players and consequently better football.

The directors have previously indicated that there should be a reduction in the number of retained players from the sixty five of 1971 to forty five in 1972. They have further indicated that 25 retained players will be the limit for 1973. The consequences should be a considerably wider distribution of playing talent in first and second division.

The latest step in improving the quality of football is to reduce the number of clubs playing professional soccer to twenty. At the moment there are twenty four clubs in the two divisions of the Northern Federation so at least four will have to go, maybe five, depending on the quality of the club to be nominated by the Hunter Valley executive for 1973 promotion.

Promotion and relegation for 1973 are not automatic in the sense that a second division club must be promoted to first division or that a Hunter Valley Association club must be promoted to second division. What is inevitable is that at least two clubs must be relegated from Division 1 and at least four teams from Division 2.

MECHANICS

Division 1:

Nine clubs will automatically retain first division status. These clubs will be the top nine on the first division premiership table. Four clubs will be in contention for the tenth place—the last three first division clubs and the premier second division clubs. To find the tenth club the directors will use the following criteria:—

(a) Geographical position, (b) administrative record, (c) finances, (d) ground and amenities, (e) championship position (based on 6, 4, 2,) and (f) the potential playing strength of the juniors and the extent to which the club makes use of them.

We have seen in the past examples of relegation based on premiership position alone. New Lambton was relegated at the end of the 1970 season and have since proved that they have the right qualities for first division status. If you apply to this club the six criteria mentioned above you will see that the only one on which they might score badly is the first geographical location.

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Sydney Results

1972 1st DIV	Adamstown	Belconnen	Cardiff	Hazurari	Lake Macquarie	Maitland	Newcastle	New Lambton	Tor-Awaba	Wallend	West Wallend	Weston	Points	
Adamstown	X	3-2 3-2	1-1 1-1	2-2 1-3	0-3 1-0	3-2 1-2	0-3 1-5	3-1 4-1	5-2 1-0	4-1 0-2	1-3 1-0	1-1 1-2	24	(5th)
Belconnen	2-3 2-3	X	1-2 2-1	2-5 2-3	0-0 0-2	8-1 0-5	1-1 6-2	0-3 3-1	1-1 0-1	0-0 5-5	0-5 1-3	0-1 3-1	14	(14th)
Cardiff	1-1 1-1	2-1 1-2	X	0-0 1-2	1-6 1-2	1-1 3-2	2-2 3-1	2-1 2-3	0-1 2-2	2-3 2-4	1-2 2-1	1-4 3-3	17	(9th)
Ham Aggus	2-2 3-1	5-2 3-2	0-0 2-1	X	0-4 2-5	3-1 1-0	3-3 3-1	3-1 1-1	0-1 0-5	2-1 1-3	2-3 0-3	1-2 0-0	23	(6th)
Lake Macquarie	3-0 0-1	0-0 2-0	6-1 2-1	4-0 5-2	X	3-4 3-1	1-2 3-5	3-3 1-2	3-4 1-2	2-1 2-1	0-2 3-0	1-2 2-0	26	(4th)
Maitland	2-3 2-1	1-8 5-0	1-1 2-3	1-3 0-1	4-3 1-3	X	2-2 0-3	1-1 0-2	1-5 2-1	3-1 1-5	4-1 1-5	1-4 1-2	15	(11th)
Newcastle Austral	3-0 5-1	1-1 2-6	2-2 1-3	1-3 3-3	2-1 5-3	2-2 3-0	X	2-2 1-4	1-2 0-5	2-1 4-1	7-2 3-5	3-7 2-0	23	(7th)
New Lambton	1-3 1-4	3-0 1-3	1-2 3-2	1-3 1-1	3-3 2-1	1-1 2-0	2-2 4-1	X	2-2 0-3	1-0 0-4	0-4 4-2	2-3 1-1	20	(8th)
Toronto Awaba	2-5 0-1	1-0 1-0	1-0 2-2	1-0 5-0	2-3 2-1	5-1 1-2	2-1 5-0	2-2 3-0	X	3-2 5-0	5-1 1-2	0-2 0-0	29	(2nd)
Wallend	1-4 2-0	0-0 5-5	3-2 4-2	1-2 3-1	1-2 1-2	1-3 5-1	1-2 1-4	0-1 4-0	2-3 1-3	X	1-4 0-3	1-0 0-4	16	(10th)
West Wallend	3-1 0-1	5-0 3-1	2-1 1-2	3-2 3-0	2-0 0-3	1-4 5-1	2-7 5-3	4-0 2-4	1-5 2-1	4-1 3-0	X	0-5 0-1	26	(3rd)
Weston	1-1 2-1	1-0 1-3	4-1 3-3	2-1 0-0	2-1 0-2	4-1 2-1	7-3 0-2	3-2 1-1	2-0 0-0	0-1 4-0	5-0 1-0	X	31	(Parade)

Appearances

Adamstown

Ron Giles (22) Dick Bullen (21) John Clinton (21) Trevor Smythe (19)
 Jerry Dobson (20) R Hancock (17) Doug Johns (8) Basil Aratoun (17)
 Willie Gallagher (4) Eric Burns (15) Peter Stone (8) G Nesbitt (7)
 Ian Richardson (7) Bill Walker (5) Colin Peattie (3) Smith (3)
 Geoff Williams (1) G McRae (1) Warwick Alexander (2)
 Peter Fairleigh (1) Ken Whitmore (3) Colin Curran (5)

Scorers: Smythe (12) Dobson (7) Alexander (3) Richardson (3) Stone (3) Bullen (2) McRae (1)
 Whitmore (2) Curran (2) Johns (1) Fairleigh (1)

PROMOTION AND RELEGATION

At the annual meeting in 1971 the clubs adopted the suggestion from the Advisory Panel that the number of teams be reduced from four to three in each club. The result, it is hoped, will be a better standard of football in both first and second division. Certainly the clubs must make a saving in expense which should mean more money to spend on players and consequently better football.

The directors have previously indicated that there should be a reduction in the number of retained players from the sixty five of 1971 to forty five in 1972. They have further indicated that 25 retained players will be the limit for 1973. The consequences should be a considerably wider distribution of playing talent in first and second division.

The latest step in improving the quality of football is to reduce the number of clubs playing professional soccer to twenty. At the moment there are twenty four clubs in the two divisions of the Northern Federation so at least four will have to go, maybe five, depending on the quality of the club to be nominated by the Hunter Valley executive for 1973 promotion.

Promotion and relegation for 1973 are not automatic in the sense that a second division club must be promoted to first division or that a Hunter Valley Association club must be promoted to second division. What is inevitable is that at least two clubs must be relegated from Division 1 and at least four teams from Division 2.

MECHANICS

Division 1:

Nine clubs will automatically retain first division status. These clubs will be the top nine on the first division premiership table. Four clubs will be in contention for the tenth place—the last three first division clubs and the premier second division clubs. To find the tenth club the directors will use the following criteria:—

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(b) Amalgamations will be encouraged as an alternative to relegation in the "crowded areas" on Newcastle.

THE FUTURE

By the end of this season clubs will know the promotion and relegation plans for 1974. Possibilities have already been considered. It must be obvious to all clubs that relegation is a more lively prospect than promotion for 1973. But by 1974 the numbers in each division will have stabilised

Sydney Results

	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Hakoah-ES	3	1	—	10	2	7
Apia-L	3	—	1	9	3	6
S. Coast	3	—	1	5	2	6
Yugal-R.	2	1	1	7	6	5
S. Sydney	2	1	1	5	9	5
Auburn	2	—	2	6	6	4
St. G-B.	1	2	1	7	8	4
P. Hellenic	1	1	2	4	4	3
W. Subs	—	2	2	5	7	2
Marconi	1	—	3	7	10	2
S'land	—	1	3	4	10	1

Hunter Valley Soccer Association

FIXTURES

First team mentioned is home team

DIVISION 1

APRIL 16:

Barnsley v. Kearsley
Cardiff Workers' v. Dudley
Muswellbrook v. Technical College
Cessnock Police Boys v. Warners Bay

APRIL 23:

Dudley v. Cessnock Police Boy
Warners Bay v. Argenton
Kearsley v. Cardiff Workers.
Muswellbrook v. Garden Subs.
Technical College v. Barnsley

DIVISION 2

APRIL 16:

Kurri v. S. & Lloyds
Kahibah v. Belmont
Broadmeadow v. Wallsend R.S.L.
University v. Beresfield

APRIL 23:

Beresfield v. Stewarts & Lloyds
Belmont v. University
Broadmeadow v. Kahibah
Wallsend R.S.L. v. Kurri

INTRA-CITY

APRIL 16:

Teachers College v. R.A.A.F. "A"
Waratah v. Nelson Bay
Lake Macquarie v. R.A.A.F. "B"
Singleton v. Warners Bay
Cardiff v. Valentine

APRIL 23:

Nelson Bay v. Singleton
Warners Bay v. Valentine
R.A.A.F. "A" v. Waratah Mayfield
Lake Macquarie v. Cardiff
R.A.A.F. "B" v. Teachers College

1972 Season. Appearances

10-30

Bel. Swansea.

B. Perrin (22) Jack Bullen (22) D Mc Manus (21) Don Harrison (22)
Bill Davies (21) Kerry Pearson (19) Norm Scott (20) Dave Guthrie (17)
Greg Fitts (16) C Warwick (16) K Sapp (14) J Barr (10) Alan Johns (11)
Alan Davies (10) Gary Jaffer (5) B. Thompson (4) R. Judd (3)
Jerry Burgoyne (5) Bill Kaiser (2) J. Mantle (2) Ossie Bellamy (2)
B. Gay (1) K. Jeffress (1)

Scores.

Fitts (7) Pearson (6) Scott (5) Thompson (4) Davies (4) Warwick (3) Johns (3)
Mc Manus (3) Guthrie (1) Bellamy (1) Harrison (1)

Cardiff

Howard Smith (22) Bob Hobson (22) Paul Queenan (22) G. Walker (21)
Warren Rendell (21) Warren Whalstedt (21) G. Smith (21) P. Conway (18)
C. Evans (16) Hayes (13) J. Hobson (6) A. Sturgeon (12) G. Baldwin (9)
J. Lamb (7) J. Conway (6) K. Ford (6) A. Aurisch (2) P. Williams (1)

Scores.

Rendell (9) Queenan (13) Sturgeon (3) Whalstedt, Evans (2) Lamb (1)
Conway (1) Smith (1) Thompson (1) R. Hobson (1)

1972 Appearances.

10-31

Hamilton Agguosi

Mal Heath (22) D Howells (21) J Adamsthwaite (20) Boris Bendewski (20)
Peter Iwing (22) Peter Gleeson (21) Merv Black (14) J. Adamson (13)
Tom Hunchcliffe (17) W Winniarocz (17) G Kongard (12) J. Mc Ilroy (9)
Ian Stone (12) D Hodgins (4) W Davies (2) George Strong (6)
Mansell Laidler (4) Chris Miles (2) J. Lingard (3) A Braun (1)

Scorers.

Iwing (13) Adamson (6) Adamsthwaite (3) Black (5) Kongard (2)
Strong (3) Davies (1) Howell (1) Gleeson (1) Stone (1)
Hunchcliffe 1

Lake Macquarie

Ken Gabriel (22) G. Hall (22) Richard Becklar (21) Wayne Leary (21)
John Welham (21) Geoff Boardman (21) Eddie Phillips (20) Graham Bull (18)
G. Turner (15) Daryl Smith (13) B. Boselem (14) D Stewart (8)
P. Griffiths (12) W Mossman (9) Bruce White (1) R McKinnon (1)
G. Leary (1) R Dick (1)

Scorers.

Hall (8) Bull (11) Boselem (11) Turner (5) Phillips (6) Becklar (6)
Leary (2) Boardman (1)

1972 Appearances.

Maitland

Tommy Arrowsmith (21) Steve Griffiths (20) Steve Loth (20)
 D Turnbull (20) R Walker (20) Dave Roberts (19) Bogdan Duma (21)
 Ken Boardman (16) J. Schaffer (12) R Anderson (12) Stefan Duma (10)
 Klaus Miesch (11) R "Dick" Welkin (8) Hugh Paisley (5) D Jones (3)
 P Thompson (6) R Crick (6) Steve Ellenbacher (3) Craig Kelly (2)
 J. Leeman (1) J. Hurley (2) B. Mungoven (2) Mark Cook 1
 Nick Vasilarkis (1)

Scores

B. Duma (14) Schaffer (11) Anderson (4) Miesch (4) Arrowsmith (2)
 S Duma (3) Welkin (2) Crick (3) Walker (1) Boardman (1)

Newcastle Australs

P. O'Hearne (22) Bruce Morrow (22) Robbie Lasance (21) Ken Swindle (21)
 Daryl Evans (21) Wal Kallour (19) Graeme Cummings (20) Ray Lloyd (19)
 R O'Hearne (21) P. Howard (12) R Davies (12) R Moska (10) J. Toddes (7)
 K. Sharpe (6) L. Compton (4) W. Weale (1) N. Laemakamis (3)
 G. Pasalic (1) D. Butler (2) Gary Semetha (1)

Scores.

Morrow (17) Cummings (13) Swindle (10) P O'Hearne (4) Kallour (2)
 R O'Hearne (3) Lloyd (2)

1972

10-33

New Lambton

Russell Schott (13) Wal Riley (22) Peter Dewhurst (21) Greg Schott (21)
Jack Routledge (17) Barry Hawkins (18) Bob Masson (16) Ron Giles (19)
Billy Luck (16) Alan Davies (9) Wayne Brough (9) B. Goodwin (10)
Greg Valentine (11) Warren Peattie (3) Jim Foley (10) B. Majoribanks (8)
John Marshall (4) Kelly Strong (1) B. Clarke (5) L. Jones (3)
A. Llewellyn (3) R. Harris (2) P. Murray (1)

Scorers

R. Schott (7) G. Schott (1) Giles (9) Routledge (4) Dewhurst (4)
Peattie (1) Brough (1) Majoribanks (3) Masson (4) Harris (1)
Davies (1)

Toronto Awaba

Gary Randall (22) R. Stewart (22) Alan Moore (20) Kevin Lagerstrom (21)
Brian Whitehead (22) Terry Brown (22) Gary Penches (20)
Alan Piggott (22) Steve Werrin (4) B. Pickles (3) A. Murrell (1)
K. Rowbottom (1)

Scorers Lagerstrom (20) Sharpe (6) Penfold (9) Moore (3) Piggott (1)
Whitehead (6) Pickles (2) Townsend (1)

Wallend

John Parkes (21) Kerry Dobson (18) P. Slott (20) Kerry Thompson
 Rod Holding (18) Bruce Tracey (15) G. Welber (11) Stan Juchanewicz (12)
 Vic Juchanewicz (12) S. Mulawa (11) P. Perrin (10) P. Watkins (64)
 G. Holding (12) Ross Buchanan (12) D. Stamp (10) K. Cross (7)
 Alan Russell (8) V. Hayes (7) Jake Roderick (5) Wayne Wells (5)
 S. Pepperall (2) R. Scott (2) J. O'Donoghue (1) D. Tracey (1)

Scorers

Dobson (11) Juchanewicz (5) Holding (6) Watkins (5) Mulawa (3)
 Buchanan (4) Parkes (3) D. Tracey (1)

West Wallend

Del Mabbott (20) John Kaiser (22) John Sneddon (22)
 Claude Pendlebury (21) Colin Coutts (19) Robbie Kaiser (20)
 David Ahrens (19) Ken Kaiser (20) Adam Duskott (18)
 Steve O'Neill (19) Billy Pryce (9) R. Feilden (12) Steve Harney (6)
 J. Bowie (6) D. Jones (2) Paul Gee (2) Rick Hendler (3)
 W. Greenwood (1)

Scorers

Ahrens (12) Duskott (14) K. Kaiser (7) Coutts (6) Harney (1)
 Pendlebury (3) Feilden (3)

1972

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Weston

Torbes Wood (22) Alan Cooper (22) Ken Worden (22) Jim Sloan (21)
~~Steph Kamasz~~ Stefan Kamasz (21) John Bond (21) J. Taylor (2)
 Roy Johnson (18) Tom Sneddon (22) Mick Davies (20)
 Warren Halverson (20) Ken Mc Lerie (2) Stuart Kamasz (13)
 Willie Barker (2) Dave Stoker (3) J. Smith (1)

Scores.

Sloan (21) Cooper (3) Stefan Kamasz (3) Stuart Kamasz (3) Davies (1)
 Bond (3) Worden (4)

Semi Final Austral Park 8/9/1972

West Wallend 2 v Lake Macquarie 0

Robbie Kaiser	Ken Gabriel
Billy Poyee	W Mossman
Steve O'Neill	Daryl Smith
Sel Mabbott	Wayne Leary
John Sneddon	John Welham
John Kaiser	J. Boardman
Ken Claude Pandlebury	Graham Bull
Colin Coutts	Richard Becklar
David Ahrens (1)	B Roselem
Adam Durkott	Eddie Phillips
Ken Kaiser (1)	G. Hall
Reserve	

R Deck

Referee Harold Hall

1972

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Semi Final at Adamstown 10/9/1972

Weston

3 v Toronto Awaba 1

Forbes Wood
Roy Johnson
Warren Helverson
Tom Sneddon
Mick Davies
Kerr Mc Lerie
John Bond (1)
Jim Sloan (1)
Alan Cooper (1)
Stefan Kamesz
Ken Worden

Terry Brown
Gary Randall
John Penfold
Ray Stewart
Gary Pinches
Neil Townsend
Alan Piggott
Steve Werrin
Kevin Lagerstrom (1)
Alan Moore
Brian Whitehead

Referee Bill Turner.

Final at Crystal Palace Wallsend 17/9/1972

Toronto Awaba

1 v West Wallsend 1

Terry Brown
Gary Randall
John Penfold
Ray Stewart
Gary Pinches
Neil Townsend
Alan Piggott
B. Sharpe (1)
Kevin Lagerstrom
Alan Moore
Brian Whitehead

Robbie Kaiser
Bill Pryce
Steve O'Neill
Sel Mabbott
John Sneddon
John Kaiser
Claude ~~Harper~~ Pendlebury
Colin Courtts
David Ahrens (1)
Adam Duckkott
Ken Kaiser

Referee Billy Jones.

Final (Replay)

Toronto Awaba

Jerry Brown
 Gary Randall
 John Peafold
 Ray Stewart
 Neil Cruickshanks
 Neil Townsend / J Rice
 Alan Piggott
 B. Sharpe
 Kevin Lagerstrom (2)
 Alan Moore
 Brian Whitehead (1)

3v West Wellstead 2

Robbie Kaiser
 Bill Pryce
 Steve O'Neill
 Sel Mabbott
 John Sneddon
 John Kaiser
 Claude Pandlebury
 Colin Loutts (1)
 David Ahrens (1)
 Adam Duckitt
 Ken Kaiser
 Reserve
 Steve Harney.

Referee Billy Jones.

Grand Final 24/9/1972

Weston

Forbes Wood
 R. Johnson
 Warren Halverson
 Tom Sneddon
 Mick Davies
 Kerr ~~MacLennan~~
 Alan Cooper (1)
 John Bond
 Jim Sloan (2)
 Stefan Kamasz
 Ken Worden

3v Toronto Awaba 0

Jerry Brown
 Gary Randall / J Rice
 John Peafold
 Ray Stewart
 Neil Cruickshank / Steve Werrin
 Neil Townsend
 Alan Piggott
 B. Sharpe
 Kevin Lagerstrom
 Alan Moore
 Brian Whitehead

Referee George Muir / Billy Jones.

** Referee Muir was forced to retire with a painful leg injury
 and was replaced by Billy Jones



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1972 Ampol Pre-season

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Semi Final at Crystal Palace Walsend 17/3/1972

New Lambton 1 v Weston 1

Barry Hawkins	Forbes Wood
Greg Schott	Roy Johnson
Wal Riley	J. Taylor
Alan Davies	Kerr Mc Lerie
H. Bernard	Stefan Kamasz
Peter Dewhurst	John Bond
Jack Routledge	Willie Barker (1)
Warren Peattie	Stuart Kamasz
Kelly Strong (1)	Jim Sloan
Wayne Brough	Alan Cooper
Russell Schott	Iken Worden

Referee Jack Smith

Replay of Semi Final 24/3/1972

New Lambton 3 v Weston 0

Barry Hawkins	Forbes Wood
Bill Luck	Dave Stokes
Wal Riley	Stefan Kamasz
Alan Davies	Kerr Mc Lerie
H. Bernard	J. Taylor
Jack Routledge	John Bond
Peter Dewhurst	Willie Barker
Kelly Strong	Stuart Kamasz
Warren Peattie	Jim Sloan
Wayne Brough (2)	Alan Cooper
Russell Schott (1)	Iken Worden

Referee Jack Smith

1972

10-40

Semi Final Ampol Cup at Crystal Palace Walsend

Adamstown	1 v Toronto Awaba	1
W Walker	Steve Goodburn	
Basil Arratoon	R Murrell	
A Burns	B Pickles	
John Clinton	Gary Randall	
Willie Gallagher	John Penfold	
Stuart Jackson	Neil Townsend	
Peter Stone	Brian Whitehead (1)	
Ian Richardson	Ray Stewart	
Jerry Dobson	Alan Moore	
G. Nesbitt	Kevin Lagerstrom	
W Alexander (1)	B Sharpe	

Referee John Lattersell

Replay Ampol Semi Final 24/3/1972

Adamstown	1 v Toronto Awaba	0
Jim Goldsmith	Steve Goodburn	
Basil Arratoon	Gary Randall	
Colin Peattie	B. Pickles	
John Clinton	Ray Stewart	
Willie Gallagher	John Penfold	
Stuart Jackson	Neil Townsend	
Peter Stone	J Rice	
Jerry Dobson	Kevin Lagerstrom	
Isver Smythe	Alan Moore	
Dick Bullen (1)	Brian Whitehead	
Warwick Alexander	Barry Sharpe	

Referee John Lattersell

1972

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Ampol Cup Final

Crystal Palace Walsend 29/3/1972

Adamstown 3 v New Lambton 0

Jim Goldsmiths

Barry Hawkins

Basil Aoratoon

Bill Luck

Colin Peattie

Wal Riley

John Clinton

Alan Davies

Willie Gallagher

H. Bernard

Stuart Jackson

Jack Routledge

Peter Stone (1)

Peter Dewhurst

Terry Dobson

B. Magonibanks

Sever Smythe

Warren Peattie

Deck Bullen

Wayne Brough

Weswick Alexander (2)

Russell Schott

Referee Harold Hall.

1972 Season

Point Score

Mayfield United	38
Cessnock	35
Edgeworth	35
Charlestown RSL	31
Jesmond Wallsend RSL	27
Central Coast United	22
Kotara South	22
Lambton	18
West Lakes United	12
Raymond Terrace	8
Bellbird	5

Grand Final Crystal Palace 23/9/1972

Mayfield United	3	Cessnock City	1
G. Smith		Graham King	
Sam Gordon		G. Stokes	
R. Cooper		Phillip Knipe	
M. Burrows		J. Cowan	
J. Finney		H. Stewart	
A. Woods/A. Convery (1)		Mike Southworth (1)	
J. Larkin		Parker	
Rab Castell (1)		Kevin Duncan	
A. Nisbett (1)		James Hogg	
B. Smith		Col Sommerville	

Referee: John Tattersall

1972

10-43

Dundee United Tour Australia

Australian XI	1 v	Dundee United	2
Canberra	1 v	" "	9
Queensland	0 v	" "	9
Northern Rivers (Lismore)	1 v	" "	16

Referee Bill Turner

Southern NSW	1 v	" "	6.
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Wolverhampton Wanderers Tour

Australia	1 v	Wolves	0
Australia	2 v	"	2
South Australia	3 v	"	4
Queensland	2 v	"	6
West Australia	0 v	"	3

Australia	2 v	Santos	2
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Corry

Lejas

Harris

Orlando (1)

Wilson

Vicente

Schaffer

Rene

Hogg

Allivo

Richards

Ze Carlos

Rooney (1)

Jaden

Mackay

Leao

Ray Baatz (1)

Alcindo

Alston

Pele

Abonji

Edu (1)

Reilly

Torido

Rogers

Referee Tony Boskovic

1973 season.

10-44

Northern Football Explodes.

In one of the most extraordinary events in Football troublesome history, none was more so than that of one evening in November 1972.

Rumblings of discontent, innuendos, and verbal attacks finally erupted at the declaration of the Poll for the coming 1973 season.

Not since the early 1960's when secret meetings of Club Presidents and other officials of Northern 1st Division clubs would meet with the view to overthrow officials who were not prepared to "listen" to clubs.

Mr Andrew Irew upon being elected President of the Northern NSW Soccer Federation declared that it was his intention to get Football back on the rails.

Mr Irew was a former director of the old New South Wales Soccer Football Assoc Ltd.

He expected more cooperation between clubs and directors.

After delivering his address he asked that all directors resign their positions, and that a new a. g. m be called.

"This caused the whole meeting to erupt in turmoil.

The directors were Peter Sandrone, Alan Iredinick Don Jones, Bob English.

Nobody will or can deny that those directors or those that have served over the years have done what they thought were in the best interests of Football.

1973 season

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Minutes of A.G.M Held at Crystal Palace Walswell

Wednesday 29th November 1972

Attendance as per Minute Book.

Duncan Price, Harold S. Parker, R Mitchell, J.A. Fuller,
A W Jones, Bill Turner, John Sullivan R Spiers, W Cantello
Norm Ivory Bill Douglas Harry Hetherington (Registrar)
Peter Sandrone, Noel Dunne, R Cameron, W G. Smith
J. Brown Ken Hugo, Doug Skelding, Steve Stevenson
Tom McNally R Burrows A Burt, J Allen, Norm Clifton
Jim Orr, Peter Taylor, Tommy Smith, Jack Evans, Keith Jeffress
A Pollock Jack Ryan, Ross Morgan Bill Cummings Roy Walls
Jack Gregory Ken Hepple, G. Collins, Reg Majill, E. Emerson.
Tom Morris Ron Craig, J. Power, Jack O'Donnell & Jamieson
John Llewellyn Bob Isaacs Alan Lamb, Clyde Crawley
R Lee, Basil Rufo, J. Borrelli Joe Lanzoni, Jack Stott.
Wal England R Taylor, Fred Ashman, Ron Lamb
C Parsons A Hall, J. Gibbs, J. Boyd, Hugh Goodwin
Norm Moore, John Wallace, John Duncan.

Apologies

Ken Booth (MLA) W.V. Jones (retiring President) Fred Lensley
Jack Cummings Mrs Wensor.

R Rufo (Azzurri) W Cummings (New Lambton) apologies be accepted (carried)

W G Smith (Cardiff) Minutes of previous AGM not be ~~accepted~~ adopted
as a true copy (Motion Lapsed).

John Sullivan (Wrestland) Basil Rufo (Azzurri) Resolved members
of the press and Observers be allowed to remain in the
meeting (Carried)

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Jack Ryan (Adamstown) Basil Rufo (Azzurri) Resolved minutes of the previous AGM be adopted (Carried)

W.G. Smith (Cardiff) Ross Morgan (Adamstown) resolved Treasurers report be adopted (Carried)

Mrs Wal England questioned sundry debtors, what Clubs and the amount of debt is owing, also the Daniels Cup, Coaching Fund - liabilities.

John Wallace (Azzurri) Ross Morgan (Adamstown) resolved the financial statement and auditors report be accepted (Carried)

Mrs John Sullivan (Maitland) questioned as to why the Federation receives an administration levy from the injured players fund.

Mrs Wal England recommended that the Directors consider reducing the levy on the injured players assistance fund.

Ross Morgan (Adamstown) W.G. Smith (Cardiff) resolved that the Secretarys report be adopted (Carried)

Ross Morgan (Adamstown) Basil Rufo (Azzurri) resolved the publicity sub-committee financial statement be adopted, subject to the auditors verification (Carried)

John Duncan (Kolaro) Jack Ryan (Adamstown) Resolved that Mr Ken Booth (MLA) and Mr D Santarella be elected as Patron of this Federation (Carried)

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Ross Morgan (Adamstown) Ken Hugo (Edgeworth) Resolved the Judiciary Sub Committee's report be adopted and Messrs W Cummings J Duncan, J. Llewellyn be thanked for their efforts (Carried)

Election of Officers

President Andrew Ixew

Treasurer Don Jones

Secretary Bob English

Mr Ixew took the chair and paid tribute to the retiring President Mr William V. Jones, and stated he required full cooperation as he desired in future years years to be known as the President who arrested the decline in football, who took steps to improve press relations and to benefit the finance of clubs, players, and the Federation.

He then proceeded to outline his so called seven point plan.

- 1) Promotion + Relagation to be abolished
- 2) There be a 1ST DIV, 2ND DIV, and a Youth team leagues.
all 1ST DIV matches to be played on Sundays, all other matches on Saturdays
Each club to have three talent scouts and there be a fourteen team competition in each league.
- 3) Affiliation fees be reduced for 1ST DIV to \$300
2ND DIV \$150.
- 4) There be a uniform payment for players to be decided, and any other payments to be players could be by way of signing on fee.

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- 5) The Directors to meet weekly and meet all clubs monthly, clubs to be represented by Executive or by proxy. Non Attendance, a small fine to be imposed.
- 6) Directors to consider setting up a small select committee to draw up a new constitution.
- 7) That 5 Directors with the Secretary and Treasurer control the Federation, and he expected the four Directors to resign tonight or at least within 24 hours.

Jack Ryan (Adamstown) John Sullivan (Maitland) resolved to elect a life member.

From the ballot Mr William V Jones retiring President was elected Life member.

Mr Jew then informed the meeting that there would be a meeting of clubs on Sunday night 3rd December at 8PM at the Crystal Palace.

Discussion ensued between the chairman and John Wallace (Azzurri) and when other club delegates rose to speak the chairman informed the delegates that the meeting was closed time 10.05 P.M.

Minutes of Directors meeting Held at Wallend
Crystal Palace 5th December 1972.

Members Present.

Jew, Sandrone, Iredinnick, Jones, English

Iredinnick/Sandrone Resolved that a special meeting be held on 20th December 1972, and the Secretary notify clubs etc, and list the items on the agenda in what is considered the most suitable manner.

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D Jones/A Tredinnick, Resolved the items on the letter calling for a special General Meeting be listed in number order, and the Secretary notify the clubs that certain items, quote number do not conform to the Constitution as amended in 1971 (Landed)

Meeting closed.

Minutes of a special General Meeting held at Wallaseid Crystal Palace Wednesday 20/12/1972
This meeting was requested by Weston, Maitland, Belmont Swansea, West Wallaseid, Wallaseid, listing certain items, and ten other clubs listing further items.

Attendance as per Minute Book.

Peter Taylor, Jack Taylor, Thos McInally, R Burrows
Jim Orr, Norm Clifton A Pollock Keith Jeffries Ron Craig
Fred Linsley, Thos Smith, Bill Turner, John Edwellyn
K Stelmack, Bob Foame Alan Lamb, John Duncan
or Cameron K. Wroolane Jim McInally C Smith
Ken Tappett, D Price B Walkens Ronie Lamb, A Evans
Doug Skelding, John Sullivan, John Wallace, D Maccher
Llyde Crawley, John Beatty, R Lee, Don Jones, G Smith
Peter Sandrone John Barrie Thomas Morris George Muir
Bill Cantello, I Brack, R Spiers, Basil Arratoon
Jack O'Donnell L Parsons G Collins Ken Hepple
Ken Hugo, Tommy Brown Ross Morgan Norm Moore
Michael Hill Ian Smith Myles Hay Jack Stott
Bill Cummings Harry Hetherington, Alan Tredinnick
Max Fox Hughie Goodwin Les Harris Bob English
John Power Andrew Trew.

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The Chairman Mr Andrew Isew open the meeting and asked each delegate to vote according to their conscience. "The code was bigger than the individual."

Resolved Messrs Fox and Wallace be elected returning officers and Deputy.

Further nominations were Michael Hill and John Power. G. Smith (Lardiff) & Muir (Referee) Resolved that voting for the R/O and deputy R/O be taken separately (Carried) When Mr Fox was proposed Mr A Lamb interjected with, "Hem", and later apologised to the Chairman. Voting resulted in Mr Hill as R/O and Mr J. Wallace as deputy.

J Brown / J McInally Resolved McLean and Curran be auditors (Carried)

The following nominations for Committees were made from the meeting.

Registrar H Hetherington

Selectors R Frame, J. Langoni, A Mocher, R Townsend
George Schett.

Ground Inspectors. R Walls. H. Hetherington H. S. Parker

Publicity Committee. A Fredennick, J Smith, Bill Turner
A Lamb, R Morgan M Hay

Fixtures Committee, J. Sullivan, A Fredennick J. Duncan
A Lamb.

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Referees Appointments.

H. S. Parker, J. Myles.

Social Committee.

D Jones I Morris H Hetherington R G English
W Cantello W A Jones (Referee) H. S. Parker, Jack Ryan
A Tredennick (Director) G Smith

Resolved the suspension of Standing orders to deal with the vote of no confidence in Directors.

The Chairman Mr Andrew Irew refused to accept this motion until it was pointed out by numerous delegates that he had no options but to accept the motion.

At the commencement of the meeting he refused to accept the proposed agenda and would only deal with the points raised by the five (5) clubs requesting the meeting, various delegates spoke to the meeting.

John Duncan (Kotara)

This motion reflects not only on the Directors, but on the Federation as a whole and is to be detriment of the Code.

J. Stott (Lake Macquarie)

What is the outcome if this vote is carried.

Chairman Mr Irew, stated that if the vote is carried the Directors can resign, and they are eligible for re-election.

John Beatty (Weston)

The Directors should resign

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Bill Cummings (New Lambton)

There has been complete disharmony, you are asking for a vote of no confidence and some of the present directors will be voted back in.

WA Jones (Refiners)

A vote of confidence would leave clubs with a ten team competition.

John Wallace (Azzurri)

The Directors have only carried out the recommendations of the Advisory committee, and these were endorsed by the clubs.

There are learned men on the advisory committee and this must be a bitter blow to these gentlemen.

Hughie Goodsir (Awaba)

It is not what the Directors have done, "But what they have not done, The constitution is not as written and has tied you up.

Toronto Awaba demand the right to express ourselves.

John Sullivan (Maitland)

The majority of clubs expressed disgust with the original ballot for Directors, The Ampol Cup format, The Pools appeasement, exorbitant fees, The State Cup was a farce, lack of publicity, lack of communication, the fixtures were geared to kill attendances.

Maitland play three home games on Saturdays, when other sporting fixtures were on in the town, in opposition, there were no public relations.

The Federation requires forthright leadership.

Mr Hetherington remarked to me on the way down to the

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meeting that the Directors in 1967 advocated a 16 team ~~in~~ competition.

John Llewellyn (Wallsend)

Wallsend Club would like to point ~~to~~ out that the letter sent out by Mr Sullivan was not a denigration of Directors.

Mr Noel Dunne (Toronto Awabs)

If the directors had given some expression of considering suggestions from the clubs, or if they had given them an opportunity to speak, the directors relied upon their decision being final,

The publicity committee told each club to accept so many Books (Programmes) etc.

Jack Stott (Lake Macquarie)

In your experience over the last twelve months Mr Dunne would you expect the Directors to please 24 clubs.

The clubs must take as much, if not more of the blame than the Directors.

I would like the Directors to have something to say to this meeting, these fellows have tried to help us.

Ern Craig (West Wallsend)

I have seen a Board of Directors operate before and the directors went out by reason of no reason, the Directors should go out and listen.

They should have had monthly meetings.

The Directors were set up wrongly, there should have been (7) with a separate Secretary and Treasurer.

There is nothing wrong with a board of Directors, I am in favour of them, but they must not be dictators.

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The Directors each spoke, and at the conclusion the Chairman was asked on two occasions what the meeting was voting on and each time he replied a motion of no confidence in the Directors. If you are in favour of the motion show (yes), if not show (No) on your voting paper.

John Duncan (Rotorua) John Sullivan (Maitland)

Resolved the meeting be adjourned for two minutes
(Carried)

Upon the resumption of the meeting the ballot was taken and the scrutineers Messrs

Bill Turner and Harry Hetherington announced the result (Yes 18) (No 12).

Where upon the Directors left the table and walked to the rear of the meeting which had broken up in shambles.

These details are taken as written from the official minutes.

1973 1ST DIV	Adamstown	Bel-Swansea	Cardiff	Cessnock	Ham Aggiori	Lake Macq	Maitland	Mayfield Utd	New Australia	New Lambton St	Toronto Australia	Wallend	West Wallend	Weston
Adamstown	X	4.2 5.1	2.1 2.0	3.4 2.1	1.1 4.5	4.2 3.1	1.0 4.0	3.0 2.0	1.3 6.0	0.2 5.0	4.2 3.1	4.0 7.1	2.3 3.0	2.2 3.2
Belmont - Swansea	1.5 2.4	X	1.1 2.2	1.3 2.3	3.1 0.0	5.3 0.4	3.0 2.3	4.0 4.0	1.6 9.2	1.1 1.5	2.4 1.6	3.3 2.3	5.1 1.3	3.6 0.6
Cardiff	0.2 1.2	2.2 1.1	X	1.4 2.2	0.1 3.2	2.4 1.2	5.2 1.3	3.3 1.1	2.0 1.6	1.5 1.0	3.2 2.2	2.2 1.0	1.4 0.4	0.2 2.3
Cessnock	1.2 4.3	3.2 3.2	2.2 4.1	X	3.2 0.2	2.3 1.3	3.0 5.2	4.2 3.1	2.1 4.4	4.0 3.3	1.2 2.3	2.0 0.1	2.1 0.3	0.4 1.2
Hamilton - Aggiori	5.4 1.1	0.0 1.3	2.3 1.0	2.0 2.3	X	5.1 1.4	1.1 2.0	0.2 4.0	4.3 1.1	2.2 3.6	2.2 1.5	2.4 0.2	0.2 0.2	3.0 2.5
Lake - Macquarie	1.3 2.4	4.0 3.5	2.1 4.2	3.1 3.2	4.1 1.5	X	3.1 4.2	3.0 0.1	3.1 8.1	2.1 5.1	2.5 1.1	2.2 2.1	4.1 1.4	4.2 2.2
Maitland	0.4 0.1	3.2 0.3	3.1 2.5	2.5 0.3	0.2 1.1	2.4 1.3	X	0.1 0.4	2.5 0.2	3.0 2.0	0.4 1.4	2.4 0.3	2.6 0.4	0.2 0.5
Mayfield - United	0.2 0.3	0.4 0.4	1.1 3.3	1.3 2.4	0.4 2.0	1.0 0.3	4.0 1.0	X	3.0 3.1	1.2 1.5	0.2 1.5	0.4 0.1	3.1 4.4	1.2 1.8
Newcastle - Australia	0.6 3.1	2.8 6.1	6.1 0.2	4.4 1.2	1.1 3.4	1.8 1.3	2.0 5.2	1.3 0.3	X	3.2 3.2	1.3 1.4	4.2 0.2	1.2 5.2	2.2 1.4
New - Lambton South	0.5 2.0	5.1 1.1	0.1 5.1	3.3 0.4	6.3 2.2	1.5 1.2	0.2 0.3	5.1 2.1	2.3 2.3	X	0.7 3.3	2.0 2.2	1.0 1.2	0.2 0.4
Toronto - Awaba	1.3 2.4	6.1 4.2	2.2 2.3	3.2 2.1	5.1 2.2	1.1 5.2	4.1 4.0	5.1 2.0	4.1 3.1	3.3 7.0	X	3.0 1.2	4.2 3.2	1.3 2.3
Wallend	1.7 0.4	3.2 3.3	0.1 2.2	1.0 0.2	2.0 4.2	1.2 0.2	3.0 4.2	1.0 4.0	2.0 2.4	2.2 0.2	2.1 0.3	X	1.3 2.0	0.4 1.1
West Wallend	0.2 3.2	3.1 1.1	4.0 4.1	3.0 1.2	2.0 2.0	4.1 1.4	4.0 6.2	4.4 1.3	2.5 2.1	2.1 0.1	2.3 2.4	0.2 3.1	X	1.3 1.3
Weston	2.3 2.2	6.0 6.3	3.2 2.0	2.1 4.0	5.2 0.3	2.2 2.4	5.0 2.0	8.1 2.1	4.1 2.2	4.0 2.0	3.2 3.1	1.1 4.0	3.1 3.1	X

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First Division Points Score

Weston	42
Adamstown	40
Toronto-Awaba	36
Lake Macquarie	36
Cessnock City	29
West Wallsend	28
Wallsend	26
Hamilton Azzurri	22
Newcastle Austral	21
New Lambton	21
Cardiff	19
Belmont Swansea	18
Mayfield United	17
Maitland	9

Players Used

K. Cooper (26), A. Woods (26), Sam Gordon (24), Peter Fairleigh (25), A. Nesbitt (24), Ron O'Hearne (23), J. Finney (20), P. William (18), S. Gazzard (18), B. Smith (16), Dave Guthrie (12), J. Richardson (15), D. Jones (7), M. Burrows (5), G. Smith (3), M. Kane (5), S. Scott (4), D. Wallace (2), J. Larkin (4), M. Brown (3), C. Docherty (3), S. Ragan (1), A. West (1), G. Burt (1)

Scorers

Nesbitt (16), Fairleigh (3), O'Hearne (4), Gordon (2), Finney (2), Docherty (2), B. Smith (2), Gazzard (1), Woods (1)

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Mayfield United	3	Newcastle Australs	0
	1	Weston	2
	0	Hamilton Azzurri	4
	0	Wallsend	4
	1	Cessnock	3
	0	Adamstown	2
	3	West Wallsend	1
	1	Cardiff	1
	1	New Lambton	2
	0	Toronto-Awaba	2
	0	Belmont Swansea	4
	1	Lake Macquarie	0
	4	Maitland	0
	3	Cardiff	3
	1	New Lambton	5
	1	Toronto Awaba	5
	0	Belmont Swansea	4
	0	Lake Macquarie	3
	1	Maitland	0
	1	Weston	8
	3	Newcastle Australs	1
	2	Hamilton Azzurri	0
	0	Wallsend	1
	2	Cessnock	4
	0	Adamstown	3
	4	West Wallsend	4

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Appearances

Adamstown.

John Clinton (26) Doug Johns (25) Paul Queenan (26) Jerry Dobson (24)
Peter Dewhurst (23) Geoff Williams (17) R "Dick" Bullen (14)
Warwick Alexander (17) Willie Gallagher (16) Colin Peattie (12)
Dennis Wright (12) Kelly Strong (8) G. McRae (5) Stuart Jackson (7)
G. Hardes (3) Joe Senkalski (7) Daryl Regan (3) Bill Walker (1)
Victor Juchaczewicz (3) Lee Bennis (1)

Scorers

Johns (26) Queenan (22) Alexander (14) Wright (7) Dobson (6)
Dewhurst (1) Strong (1) Williams (1) Senkalski (1)

Belmont Swansea.

Bob Burgoyne (21) Wayne Brough (21) Norm Scott (23) Jock Bullen (26)
Don Harrison (26) Dave McManus (24) L. Jeffress (20) Jerry Barr (20)
J. Lashman (21) Chris Warwick (16) Alan Johns (13) Brian Perrin (11)
Kerry Pearson (11) Bob Masson (11) J. Williams (6) Ossie Bellamy (5)
Cliff Halpin (3) A. Carr (3) John Pettigrew (2) J Mantle (2)
Rex Judd (2)

Scorers

Burgoyne (16) Brough (14) Scott (8) Warwick (6) Masson (3)
Harrison (2) Bellamy (1) Jeffress (1) McManus (1) Barr (1)
Perrin (1)

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Cardiff

G Baldwin (24) L Evans (14) Andy Robertson (26) D Smith (19)
Warren Rendell (26) J Convery (24) S Lamb (22) W Haines (19)
W Whalstedt (14) Dave Roskell (18) P Convery (12) Peter Pont (14)
P. Wilson (11) G Walker (7) Bob Hobson (3) S Turner (6)
A Sturgeon (6) D W Blake (6) L Beatty (5) L Farmer (2)
J Foreman (2) G Smith (1) G Hopkins (1)

Scores

Lamb (10) Rendell (7) Wilson (3) Robertson (2) Hobson (2)
Whalstedt (2) Evans (1) Roskell (1) Turner (1) Convery (1)
Foreman (1) Blake (1)

Lessnock

John Hogg (26) James Hogg (23) J. Lowan (26) G. King (26)
P. Knipe (26) Mike Southworth (26) Paul Mitchell (26)
St. Stewart (23) R Paul (25) Paul Robertson (20) G. Stokes (16)
Robert Versey (12) A Parkes (5) Steve Allen (3) Kevin Duncan (1)
R Broadbent (1) P Whitfield (1)

Scores

Southworth (16) Mitchell (16) Robertson (11) James Hogg (10)
Versey (2) R Paul (1) Allen (1) Parkes (1) King (1)

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Hamilton Azzurri

Neville Power (26) Ian Stone (25) J. Adamsthwaite (24)
R "Dick" Bullen (24) Mess Black (26) D Howells (21) G. Adamson (21)
G. Hill (22) W Wianarcuz (19) G. Lingard (19) M. Heath (21)
~~Mr. Linder~~ (14) M. Linder (14) Tom Hinchcliffe (13)
George Strong (5) Chris Miles (2) J. Bullock (3)
A. Abrahams (1)

Scores

Power (19) Adamsthwaite (9) Lingard (8) Adamson (5) Stone (2)
Hill (1) Bullock (1) Strong (1) Hinchcliffe (1)

Lake Macquarie

R. Dick (26) W. Mossman (26) Wayne Leary (26) Graham Bull (26)
Eddie Phillips (25) Ken Gabriel (26) John Wilham (23)
G. Turner (23) Stan Juchniewicz (19) G. Hall (16) Jeff Boardman (19)
Richard Beckler (12) Bruce White (8) B. Boslem (2) G. Jaffer (6)
J. Richardson (2) Bernie McKinnon (1) P. Griffiths (1)
Ron Herbert (6)

Scores

Herbert (1) Bull (34) Hall (10) Juchniewicz (8) Phillips (8) Turner (6)
Boardman (3) Leary (1) Beckler (1) White (1)

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Maitland

Steve Ioth (25) R Walker (24) Steve Griffiths (26) J. Day (10)
Tommy Arrowsmith (24) John Bennett (23) Hugh Naisby (23)
Ken Boardman (21) M Look (16) J. Cowan (15) Klaus Mursch (10)
A Piggott (13) John Bond (11) Ken Twidle (8) O. Bush (5)
Willie Barker (6) L. Douglas (3) R Hurley (7) C. Kelly (4)
P. Thompson (4) A. Payne (2) J. Hoegman (1) George Niznik (1)
Kevin Kellenor (2)

Scores.

Arrowsmith (5) Boardman (4) Mursch (3) Cowan (3) Walker (1)
Look (2) Bond (2) Barker (2) Payne (1) Naisby (1) Piggott (1)
Twidle (1)

Mayfield United

K Cooper (26) A Woods (26) Sam Gordon (24) Peter Fairleigh (25)
Alan Nesbitt (24) R O'Hearne (23) J. Finnie (20) P Williams (18)
A. Gazzard (18) B. Smith (16) D Guthrie (12) J. Richardson (15)
D. Jones (7) M Burrows (5) G. Smith (3) M Kane (5) S. Scott (4)
D Wallace (2) J. Larkin (4) M Brown (3) C. Doherty (3)
S. Ragan (1) A West (1) G. Burt (1)

Scores

Nesbitt (16) Fairleigh (3) O'Hearne (4) Gordon (2) Finnie (2)
Doherty (2) B. Smith (2) Gazzard (1) Woods (1)

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Newcastle Australs

Wally Hallour (26) G. Cummings (26) Daryl Evans (25)
Robbie Lasance (24) Phil O'Hearn (23) P. Gleeson (26)
R. Davies (23) G. Horgard (14) K. Hill (12) M. Urshkov (17)
J. Tate (10) Bruce Morrow (16) J. Fordeas (8) W. Duncan (8)
K. Pearson (5) J. Loh (3) Klaus Minisch (3) J. Lucas (3)
K. Maybury (3) G. Webber (2) G. Picken (2) J. Doolan (1)
P. Standen (1)

Scores

Cummings (19) Morrow (13) Hill (4) Horgard (7) Hallour (3)
O'Hearn (5) Fordeas (2) Minisch (1) Davies (1) Gleeson (1) Urshkov (1)

New Lambton South

Barry Hawkins (26) L. Bull (26) Jack Routledge (24) Ron Giles (26)
Greg Schott (24) Jim Foley (22) W. Lilegoc (20) Basil Arratoon (13)
G. Gibson (17) Wal Riley (14) Billy Luck (10) Alan Davies (14)
Russell Schott (11) B. Kemp (11) Barry Goodwin (8) N. Adamsthwaite (8)
D. Kemp (4) M. Turner (3) R. Stewart (3) J. Sharpe (1)
G. Laidlaw (1)

Scores

Giles (15) Routledge (11) Foley (5) Riley (5) B. Kemp (5) R. Schott (2)
Lilegoc (2) Adamsthwaite (1)

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Toronto Awaba.

Neil Townsend (26) R Stewart (26) Geoff Finch (26) Terry Brown (26)
Alan Moore (24) Steve Warren (25) Kevin Lagerstrom (26)
Garry Randall (21) G. Penches (20) John Penfold (16)
Brian Whitehead (16) Richard Wilkin (15) Barry Sharpe (5)
D Henderson (7) Barry Moore (5) W Addison (2)

Scorers

Warren (32) Lagerstrom (18) Whitehead (9) Penfold (4)
Townsend (5) Henderson (5) Finch (3) Stewart (3)
Penches (1) A Moore (1)

Wallseaed

G. Bergquist (26) G Kemp (26) Alan Russell (26) John Parkes (24)
Greg Frame (25) Rod Holding (25) Ross Buchanan (17)
Gary Semetka (22) Bruce Tracey (22) Wayne Wells (17)
P Watkins (17) P. Brown (10) S. Pepperell (5) J Thompson (1)
John Whitmore (3) B. Dixon (4) G. Tickle (5) A. Brown (12)
Bill Tisdale

Scorers.

Semetka (15) Parkes (7) Tracey (7) Russell (2) Bergquist (3) Whitmore (1)
Holding (2) Frame (2) Tickle (1) Watkins (1)

Maitland

Bogdan Duma (22) Steve Griffiths (22) Steve Joth (22)
 Tom Arrowsmith (22) Dave Roberts (20) Ken Boardman (20)
 Alan Povey (19) Brian Whitehead (22) R Walker (22)
 R Crick (2) Mick Davies (16) Dick Wilkins (8)
 John Leeman (3) Alan Roberts (17)

Scores

Duma (23) Whitehead (13) Wilkin (1) Boardman (1)
 A Roberts (4) D Roberts (1) Arrowsmith (2)

Toronto Awaba

Steve Goodburn (22) R Stewart (22) John Penfold (22)
 Geoff Finch (22) Alan Moore (21) Neil Townsend (22)
 J. Rice (12) Barry Sharpe (22) Kevin Lagerstrom (12)
 R Field (9) R Murrell (11) B Pickles (11) K Rowbottom (11)
 Alan Piggott (7) G. Webster (5) Steve Werrin (5) P. Steel (6)
 R Murray (1) B. Moore (1) W Cruckshank (1)

Scores

Lagerstrom (9) Penfold (6) Sharpe (4) Finch (3) Rice (3)
 Townsend (3) Webster (1) Werrin (1) Field (1) Steel (1)

Wallsend

Stan Juchnicuz (21) P. Slott (20) K Cross (22) Alan Russell (20)
 Lester Forrester (21) I Thompson (22) John Parkes (22)
 Bruce Tracey (16) ~~Brian Murray~~ Bruce Morrow (16)
 N Hayes (12) A. Mulawa (17) Kerry Dobson (9) R Tolpp (5)
 P. Watkins (9) R Holding (1) R Scott (5) Vic Rather (3)
 G. Webber (1) G. Bengtist (1)

Scores

Juchnicuz (12) Morrow (9) Mulawa (7) Hayes (5)
 Tracey (3) Parkes (4) Dobson (3) Watkins (2) Slott (11)

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West Welland

Billy Pryce (26) Robbie Kaiser (25) Adam Duerkott (24)
Ken James (25) John Kaiser (23) David Ahrens (22) P. Kemp (8)
John Sneddon (20) Steve Harney (20) Sel Malbott (17)
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Scorers

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Weston

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Roy Johnson (26) Alan Cooper (25) Jim Sloan (8)
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Scorers

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1st Div Semi Final at Adamstown 15/9/1973

Lake Macquarie	2 v Toronto Awaba	1
Ken Gabriel	Terry Brown	
R Dick	Alan Moore	
W Mossman	R. "Dick" Welkin	
Richard Beckler	R Stewart	
John Welham	Gary Pinches	
Wayne Leary	Neil Townsend	
Eddie Phillips	Barry Moore	
Graham Bull (2)	Steve Werrin (1)	
G. Hall / B. Roselem	John Penfold	
J. Boardman	Geoff Finch	
G. Turner	D Henderson	
	Referee Harold Hall	

1st Div Semi Final at Austral Park

Adamstown	2 v Weston	1
Steve Goodburn	Forbes Wood	
Geoff Williams	Roy Johnson	
Colin Pestle	Warren Halverson	
R. "Dick" Bullen	Tom Sneddon	
John Clinton	Kerr Mc Lerie	
Peter Dewhurst	Stefan Kamesz	
Joe Senkalski	Ray Lloyd	
Paul Queenan	Alan Cooper	
Terry Dobson	Bogdan Duma (1)	
Doug Johns (2)	Peter Irving	
Warwick Alexander	Ken Worden	
	Referee Billy Jones	

1973

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1st Div Final

Weston	2 v	Lake Macquarie 1
Forbes Wood		Ken Gabriel
Roy Johanson		R Dick
Warren Halverson		W Mossman
Tom Sneddon		Richard Beckler
Kerr Mc Lerie		John Welham
Stefan Kamasz (1)		Wayne Leary
Ray Lloyd		Eddie Phillips
Alan Cooper		Graham Bull
Peter Irving		G. Hall (1) / B Boselem
Bogdan Duma (1)		J. Boardman
Ken Worden		G Turner

Referee Bill Turner

1st Div Grand Final at Crystal Palace Walsand
1/10/1973

Weston	4 v	Adamstown 1
Forbes Wood		Steve Goodburn
Roy Johanson		Geoff Williams
Warren Halverson		Colin Peattie
Tom Sneddon		R "Dick" Bullen
Kerr Mc Lerie		John Clinton
Stefan Kamasz		Peter Dewhurst
Ray Lloyd		Joe Senkalski
Alan Cooper		Paul Ouesman (1)
Bogdan Duma (3)		Terry Dobson
Peter Irving (1)		Doug Johas
Ken Worden		Warwick Alexander

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1973 GRAND FINAL TEAMS

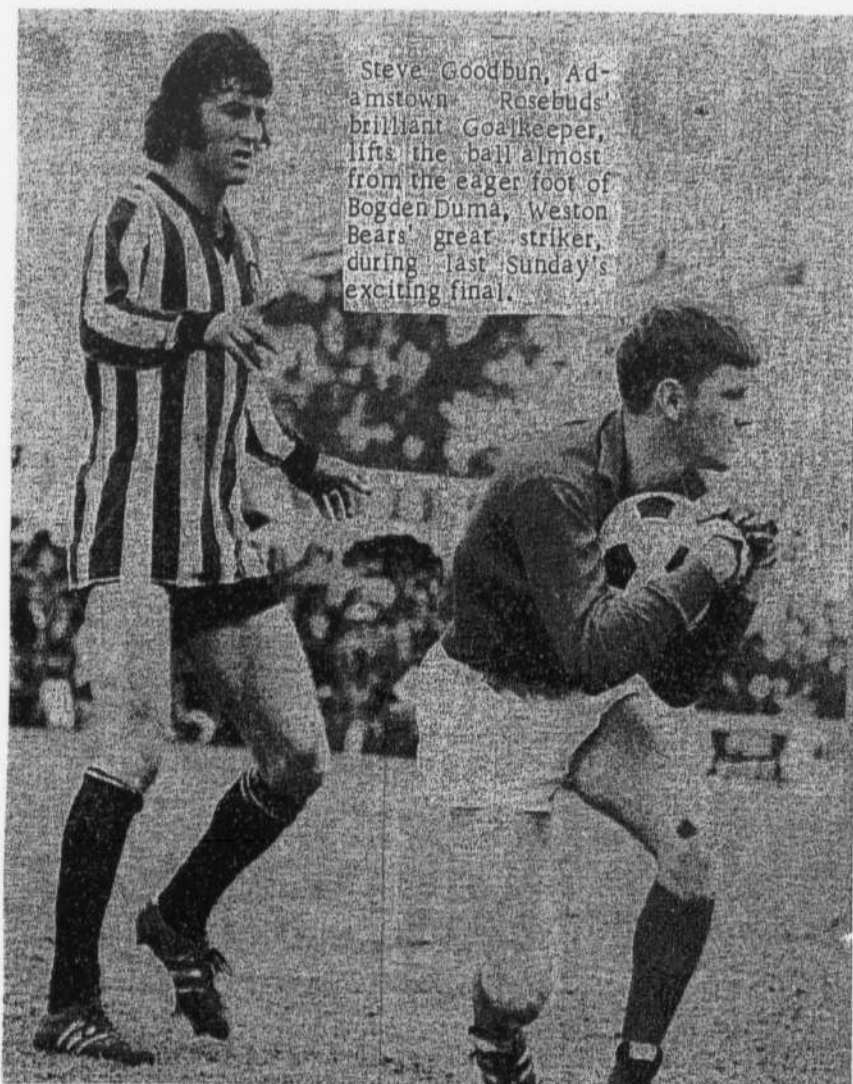


ADAMSTOWN: Rear Left to Right: Aub Peattie, T.Dobson, J.Clinton, R.Bullen, W.Gallagher, C.Peattie, D.Johns, G.Williams, J.Lanzoni (coach).
Front Left to Right: D.Wright, W.Alexander, P.Queenan, P.Dewhurst, J.Senkalski. Extreme front: S.Goodhun.



WESTON: Rear Left to Right: F.Wood, R.Johnson, W.Halverson, T.Snedden, Stefan Kamasz
Front Left to Right: R.Lloyd, A.Cooper, B.Duma, P.Irving, K.Worden. Photo of K.McLerie unavailable at time of going to press.

Steve Goodbun, Adamstown Rosebuds' brilliant Goalkeeper, lifts the ball almost from the eager foot of Bogden Duma, Weston Bears' great striker, during last Sunday's exciting final.



Ampol Cup 1973

Semi Final

West Wallsend 3 v Wallsend 1

J. Sneddon (1)

R Holding (1)

A Durkott (1)

S. Harney (1)

Semi Final

Weston 2 v New Lambton South 0

J. Sloan (1)

B. Duma (1)

Final Ampol Cup

Crystal Palace Wallsend 18/4/1973

Weston 2 v West Wallsend 0

Forbes Wood

Robert Kaiser

Ray Johnson

Jake Roderick

Warren Halverson

Steve O'Neill

Tom Sneddon

Sel Mabbott

Stevan Kamesz (1)

John Sneddon

Stuart Kamesz

Colin Coutts

Alan Cooper

David Hoddle

Bogdan Duma (1)

Bill Pryce

Jim Sloan

Steve Harney

Peter Irving

Adam Durkott

Ken Worden

Ken James

Referee Harold Hall.

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2ND DIV

Semi Finals

Charlestown ✓ Merewether Advance

Edgeworth 3 ✓ Kotara South 1
 R Bowles (2) C Worrall (1)
 Williams (1)

Grand Final

Kotara South 2 ✓ Edgeworth 1
 G Pickles (2) R McKeagie (1)

2ND D POINT SCORE

Edgeworth 32 Premiers
 Kotara South 24
 Charlestown 24
 Merewether Advance 21
 Lambton 20
 Central Coast United 16
 Jesmond 15
 West Lakes Utd 11
 Muswellbrook 8
 Raymond Terrace 7



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AUSTRALIA V NORTHERN N.S.W.



Original "A" Squad: Back row - J.Welham, D.Evans, A.Cooper, B.Duma, F.Wood, G.Finch, R.Johnson, R.Frame [Coach]. Front row: B.Tracey, J.Clinton, P.Queenan, P.Irving, K.Worden, T.Snedden. Absent - R.Kaiser.

Vic Ash Photo.



WORLD CUP 1974

AUSTRALIAN WORLD CUP FINALS' FAVOURITES

by Ian Smith

Tipsters from 48 countries had their selections for the final 16 to go to Munich published in the mass-circulation "France Football" recently.

How did Australia fare with the pollsters? Well, all but six chose Australia to win Group 16 (four tipped Iran and two chose South Korea).

Only two other nations, Italy and Sweden, carried stronger support than Australia to win their respective elimination groups.

Part of the reason for this would obviously have been the publication of our match results (about all we can expect to get) in overseas journals. Iraq were strongly tipped before the sub-group elimination and Australia's 3-1 and 0-0 results against them must have looked good on paper.

What is overlooked of course, is that Iraq were labouring under an enormous handicap, but let us hear their coach Teleki explain that - "I had to buy them proper boots in Sydney; at home, on their sand pitches in the Baghdad heat they only wear gym boots", he said. "So what do you expect from them?"

It was not the matches against Iraq that frightened Australian fans however. It was those two nerve-wracking draws against our near neighbours across the Tas-

man, New Zealand.

That the Australian team were drawn into playing the same poor standard of soccer that the Kiwis produced was something that undoubtedly must have given Rale Rasic cause for concern. In fact, apart from two half hour bursts (against Iran and New Zealand) plus the full match against Indonesia when the chips were down, the Australian team did little to inspire confidence.

However, one feels that now Johnny Warren is back, a Richards-Rooney-Warren midfield combination would, if selected, dominate that area of the park and give Australia much added push up front.

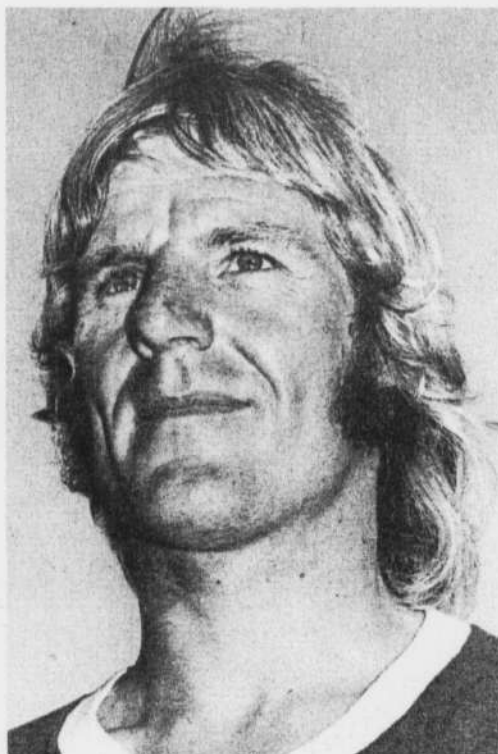
That appears unlikely though as Rooney, despite giving his all in matches and leading just about every star player contest in Sydney, is not one of the

selector's favourites partly because he lacks just that little bit of finesse in his distribution.

Australia's real strength lies in its defence which, although it conceded six goals (four against the Kiwis), generally exuded an air of reliability that was heartening.

Tonight's matches are extremely important for all players and for the second time this season we will have a representative side visiting the north that will be flat out to impress. The reason is that this is the last full scale trial before the final World Cup Squad of 18 is named.

The appearance of ex-local idols Col Curran and Ray Baartz will add much interest for the crowd as well and I have no doubt that all spectators will be clamouring for more when the final whistle blows.



PETER WILSON - Australia's World Cup captain who will be the subject on an exclusive interview with "Soccer Weekly" - watch for it ONLY in the green paper!



NORTHERN N.S.W. PLAYERS

- A -

S. GRIFFITHS
R. JOHNSON
T. SNEDDEN
J. CLINTON
J. WELHAM
B. TRACEY
G. FINCH
P. QUEENAN
P. IRVING
B. DUMA
K. WORDEN

Reserves:

R. KAISER
D. EVANS
A. COOPER

- B -

F. WOOD
W. WINIARCZYK
A. RUSSELL
A. ROBERTSON
W. HALVERSON
J. PARKES
W. LEARY
G. CUMMINGS
G. BULL
S. WERRIN
P. ROBERTSON

Reserves:

D. BUTLER
J. HOGG
I. STONE

AUSTRALIAN WORLD CUP SQUAD — 1973

JACK REILLY [Hakoah Melb.] Goalkeeper aged 28 years

First selected in the Australian Team in the 1970 World Tour where he established himself as Australia's number one choice. The highlight of his career so far was a stupendous display at the Azteca Stadium, Mexico City, in December, 1970, where Mexican soccer writers described his performance as one of the best seen at that famous ground-venue for so many great matches in the last World Cup. Tall and elegant, Reilly played one season in Sydney after the 1970 tour, but has since returned in Melbourne. Injured in 1971 he regained his place in the Australian goal last year and was one of the best players in Australia's win against Wolverhampton, the English finalists of the 1972 UEFA Cup, and in the 2-2 draw with Pele's F.C. Santos 8 selections.

JIM FRASER [St.George Budapest] Goalkeeper aged 25

Currently the number one Australian goalkeeper enjoying a fantastically successful season with his Club. Fraser was a member of the 1969 World Cup Squad and returned to the National Team again in 1971 during the absence of Jack Reilly. Fraser then lost his position to Ron Corry but has again forced himself onto the scene with first class performances. Speed and courage are his greatest assets.

ALAN MAHER [Sutherland] Goalkeeper aged 23 years

Another product of the Sutherland Shire and currently one of the most promising goalkeepers in Australia. He is 6' 1" in height and has all the assets to develop into a first class international goalkeeper. He is particularly adept at dealing with high crosses in his goal mouth and given more match practice is sure to be one of the Australian International stars of the future.

JIMMY MILISAVLJEVIC [J.U.S.T.] Goalkeeper aged 19

Australian born of Yugoslav parentage Milisavljevic has ousted Jack Reilly from the number one spot in the Victorian State Representative Team. He played an excellent match for Victoria against the National Squad recently and is very much under the eye of the National Coach to fill one of the three goalkeeper spots for the World Cup encounter. He is extremely agile and has good judgement. Perhaps he lacks a little height but more than makes up for this by his excellent fitness and quick reactions. Obviously a big future lies ahead for this young player.

HARRY WILLIAMS [St. George] Fullback, aged 22 years

Harry Williams burst on the Sydney club scene with tremendous impact in 1970 after a quick promotion from junior and reserve ranks. Selected in the National Squad for the World Tour the same year. After a brief eclipse in 1971, re-established himself as one of the countries top

fullbacks in 1972 and fully deserved to return amongst Australia's best 22 players this year.

COLIN BENNETT [Sutherland] Defender aged 22 years

This fine Australian born player has improved dramatically during the current season. Coach Rasic is grooming Bennett with a view to him taking the position of injured defender "Iron Man" Schaefer. Bennett still lacks experience but certainly replaces this with enthusiasm. Tall and well built he is a difficult opponent for any forward.

COLIN CURRAN [Western Suburbs] Defender aged 24

Curran is Australian born and developed his soccer in Newcastle, a stronghold of the game for many years. He represented Australia in the round world tour in 1970 producing outstanding performances in each and every game. Curran is expected to fill the vacancy which resulted from Bobby Hogg breaking his leg and his ferocious defending and overlapping tactics should prove a considerable asset for the World Cup matches ahead.

GEORGE HARRIS [St.George] Defender aged 24 years

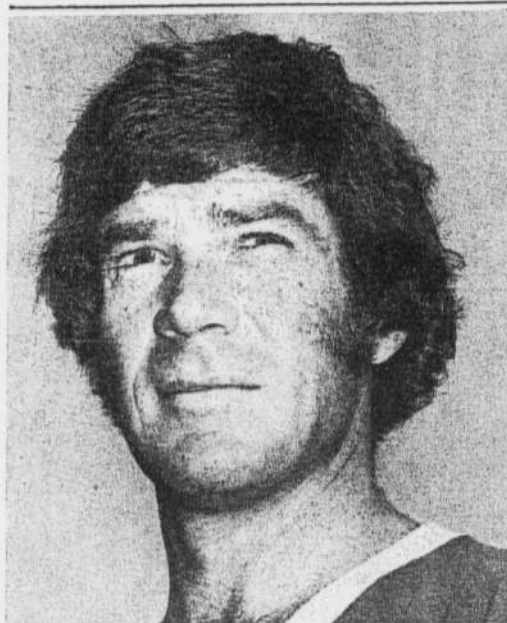
One of the bright young stars of Australian soccer who had a meteoric rise to the top. Fast and forceful, he favours the modern overlapping style of European fullbacks and likes nothing better than to join his forwards with lightning fast forays down the wing. At times he really plays as one of the Australian team's wingers and his crosses spell danger for the goalkeeper. Despite his relatively small stature his tackling is fierce and it will take a clever forward to get the better of this stout hearted youngster. Made his international debut against Israel earlier in November, 1971. 6 selections.

DOUG UTJENSENOVIC [St.George] Defender aged 27

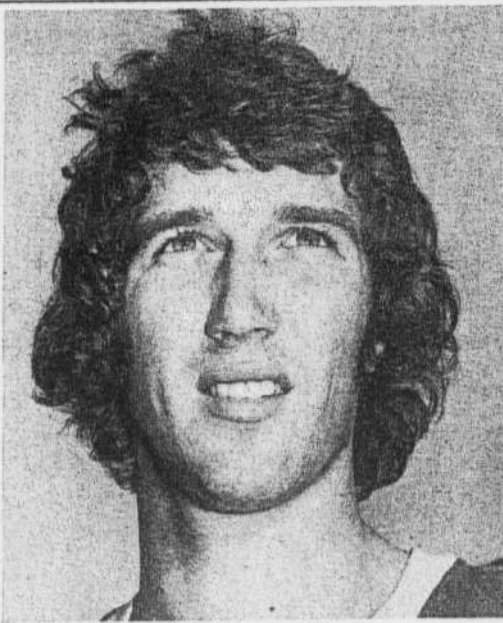
An elegant ball playing defender whose impeccable technique is a great asset in a tight situation. His ability to work the ball out of a mass of players, then lay on a perfect pass to set his forwards back on attack should delight spectators. A perfect gentleman you will rarely see him commit a foul. His delicately placed free kicks would trouble more than one opposing defence. His first selection in the Australian Team was last year but he has played many times for the State selections of Victoria and New South Wales, where he moved to in 1971. 3 selections.

PETER WILSON [Safeway United] Defender aged 27 years

Australia's soccer captain. So well did he play on the 1970 World Tour that he made the stopper position his ever since. His flowing blond hair makes it impossible not to notice him on the football fields and he is sure favourite of



JOHN WARREN



ADRIAN "NODDY" ALSTON

the crowds. He has seldom fared poorly in Australian colours and at his best he can be equal to any of the European or South American "sweeper" and almost impossible to pass. 14 selections.

JOHN WARREN [St.George] Midfielder aged 30 years

The best known and liked soccer player in Australia whose name has become synonymous with the game in recent years. A Bachelor of Economics and a Journalist with a weekly football column in a Sydney newspaper, Warren has made a miraculous recovery when his playing career seemed doomed a year ago. He was out of action for eighteen months following serious ligament trouble but bounced back to his best form and performed well on tour last year. Last year he added to his fame when he was the "dux" of the Second Asian Coaching Course in Kuala Lumpur. Warren is an inspiration on and off the field of play to the Australian team of which he was the Captain for five years until his injury. With his 36 selections he is Australia's most capped soccer player.

RAY RICHARDS [Marconi-Sydney] Midfielder aged 30

First selected for Australia on the 1967 tour of Asia, he went into a three year eclipse until chosen again for the 1970 World Tour. He has not looked back since and is an automatic choice for a National XI. This husky mustacheous half back, with his lethal shot, is always a favourite of the crowds, who gape in awe and amazement at the length of his throw-ins, which are every bit as dangerous as corner kicks. He won a niche in Australian soccer history for himself in June 1972 when he marked the great Pele out of the Australian v Santos match in Sydney without a single foul going against him into the bargain. 13 selections.

JIM MACKAY [Hakoah-Sydney] Midfielder aged 29 years

The "artist" of the Australian team. Endowed with a brilliant technique he adds class to the National side which would lack some sparkle and creativity without this blond star as midfield. Since he also combines the heart of a lion and is no slouch either when it comes to tackle an opponent off the ball, it is no wonder that there are many in Australia who regard him as the National Team's greatest asset and all round player in Australian soccer. Moved to Sydney this season. 11 Selections.

JIMMY ROONEY [Apia-Leichardt] Midfielder aged 28

Originally a Victorian, he was transferred to Sydney three years ago where he became an instant hit. Not a big man, Rooney has exquisite ball control and when in the mood his probings and openings can be quite irresistible. His career, however, has often been plagued by injuries by the very nature of his play, which leaves him open to highly

suspect tackles by opponents unable to subdue him by legal means. 8 Selections.

JOHN MCDONALD [Auburn] Midfielder aged 25 years

A new face in the Australian Squad, this industrious player earned his place in the 1972 touring party for a great Sydney season last year. Although he favours a deep lying "fetch and carry" role, he has also scored a great many goals and is a master of the art of the fast break-away. 1 Selection.

STEVE PERRY [Sutherland] Midfielder aged 20 years

Once again the Sutherland Club have brought to the fore a local Australian product in Perry. He has been most impressive throughout the current Sydney season and played a fine game against the touring side Stoke City earlier this year. Perry is still lacking in big match experience but in the years to come he could easily claim a permanent spot in the Australian team. He plays a very attacking game quickly accelerates and has a good control and distribution of the ball.

JOHN RUSSELL [Apia] Midfielder aged 20 years

Russell has turned in some excellent performances with the Apia Club during this season and last and is a rapidly improving player. He reads the game well and is rapidly developing into a first class all round performer. Could easily gain selection in the Australian Squad if not for the first World Cup encounter certainly for the matches which lie ahead if Australia is successful.

RAY BAARTZ [Hakoah Sydney] Striker aged 26 years

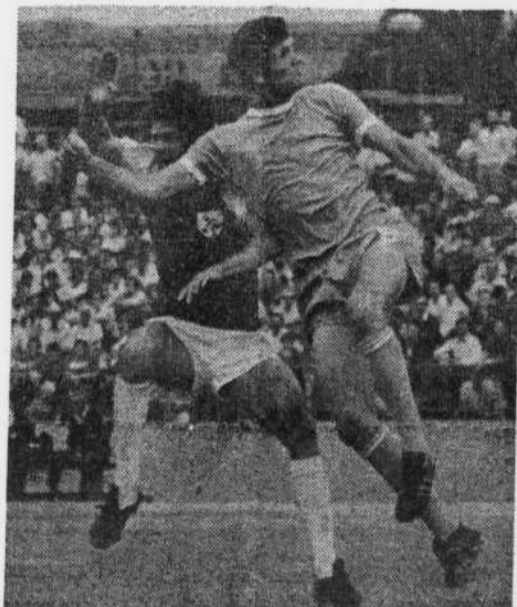
Unanimously regarded, quite rightly, as Australia's best striker, the goalscorer par excellence. His left foot shot is deadly and goalkeepers are warned not to let their eyes wander when he is anywhere within shooting distance. But for his professional commitments, he would now be Australia's most capped international. 32 selections.

ATTILA ABONYI [St.George] Striker aged 27 years

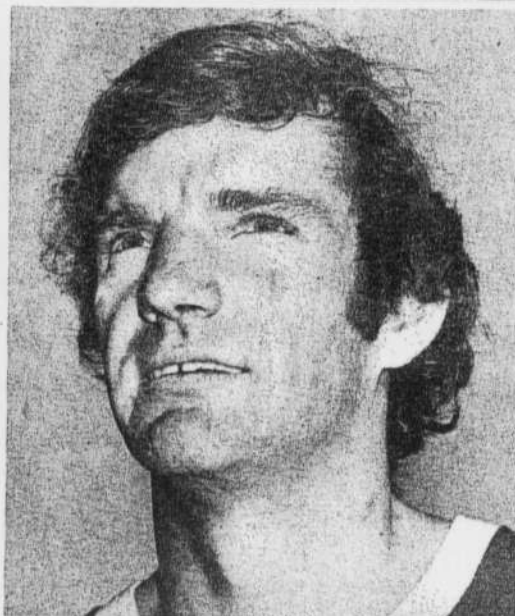
Revealed himself to the Australian public at large during the 1967 Asian tour when he was the top scorer in the Saigon Tournament with thirteen goals. His exploits brought him instant fame and a quick transfer from Melbourne to Sydney. A delicate, fragile artistic player, he can be a match winner when the mood strikes him. 26 selections.

ADRIAN ALSTON [Safeway United] Striker aged 25

Alston's height makes him a match winner with his head, thereby his name "Noddy". He is also adept in beating his opponent in man to man combat as he possesses one of



**Doug Utjesenovic and Max Tolson
in action during a club match**



RAY BAARTZ

the most devastating body swerves in Australian football. Rejoined his old Club, Safeway, from St. George this year. 16 selections.

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MAX TOLSON [Marconi Sydney] Striker aged 28 years

The second giant forward of the Australian Team who has scored countless goals with his head. A few years ago he so impressed English talent scouts that he spent three seasons as a professional in England. Fast, tough and rugged, he can be quite a handful for his direct opponents and can create havoc in the various defences. Despite his tough guy appearances on the pitch, off the field he is the epitome of the gentle giant with simple tastes which give lie to his football image. 8 selections.

BRANKO BULJEVIC [J.U.S.T.] Striker aged 26 years

This ball playing winger or inside forward in the Central European tradition gets his big chance to show his class in international company in Australia for the second time. When in the right mood, he can be a sure fire match winner who dazzles with tricky footwork, feints and bewildering bursts of speed. No mean shot either. Buljevic is the brightest jewel of his Melbourne team and Australians are looking to him to play a large, perhaps decisive part in qualifying them for the 1974 World Cup. 5 selections.

TERRY BUTLER [Apia Leichhardt] Striker aged 20 years

Burst on the Sydney club scene 18 months ago when he forced his way into the first team of the powerful Apia Club. Only 20 years old, Butler is one of the most exciting prospects discovered in Australia for some years. Already the best winger at Club level, he has yet to prove himself fully at international level, but Australian fans hope he will do just that soon. 2 Selections.

JOE ALAGICH [Yugal Prague] Forward aged 30 years

The feature of his play is his speed and he is capable of making devastating runs down the right flank and is frequently a goal scoring forward. He has played over 100 games with his Sydney Club, Yugal Prague in the Sydney First Division Competition. Alagich was a member of the 1969 World Cup Squad and due to consistent form this season has been recalled to the National Squad.

PETER OLLERTON [Apia] Forward aged 22 years

Tall, fair haired player was born in England and arrived in Australia some two years ago. He moved from Victoria this year and has had a most successful season with the Apia Club. He possesses a fine shot and is particularly good with the head. National Coach Rasic is constantly searching for strikers and Ollerton could easily fit the bill for the important matches against Iran.



ATTILA "OTTI" ABONYI

NORTHERN N.S.W. PLAYERS

STEVE GRIFFITHS [Maitland] Goalkeeper aged 23 years

It was only a matter of time before this dedicated player got the nod as the north's number one goalkeeper. After "hot and cold" performances last year he has finally found the confidence he was searching for and is currently the leader in the "Soccer Weekly" Goalkeeper of the Year award - despite missing out on one and a half games. His agility and determination compensate for his lack of inches (5' 9").

ROBERT KAISER [West Wallsend] Goalkeeper aged 19 years

Robert is one of an outstanding young crop of goalkeepers currently playing in the north. In his formative years he represented Newcastle in the National Youth Championships and was also selected in C.H.S. teams. Robert was also selected as standby for Forbes Wood in the Hitachi match.

ROY JOHNSON [Weston] Fullback aged 26 years

Roy has the unique distinction of being selected in every northern squad since he arrived in Australia in 1969. Roy's style features the modern overlapping technique and this has undoubtedly been a contributing factor in Weston's success over the past three seasons.

TOM SNEDDEN [Weston] Defender aged 29 years

Any spectator who doesn't know Tom just has not been watching northern soccer in the past decade. Tom's speed and ability to read the game are allied to his skilful distribution and he will be looked on to control the overall defensive pattern of the team. Tom has the longest list of representative honours of any northern squad member taking the field tonight.

JOHN CLINTON [Adams-town] Defender aged 22

An outstanding junior footballer, John represented the north in Youth Squads on no fewer than five occasions. John was promoted from Adamstown's U/21 side into first grade and has held a regular berth there ever since. John gets his first full game as the north's stopper at the

expense of the injured John Sneddon but will undoubtedly acquit himself well in top class company. John's keen sense of anticipation and great heading ability are his main assets.

JOHN WELHAM [Lake Macquarie] Fullback aged 27

After an injury plagued career John has made a brilliant comeback and his powerful display against Hitachi under the critics' applauding. Though he normally plays stopper for his club he has no trouble adapting himself and can be relied upon for a ninety minute effort. He represented Northern N.S.W. many times in his early career before his knee injury sidelined him.

BRUCE TRACEY [Wallsend] Midfielder aged 25 years

Bruce has represented southern N.S.W. against Victoria and Greece and has been coached by Joe Venglos whom he cites as the biggest influence on his career. He spent his time in Sydney playing with Prague but later moved back to the north to his present club, Wallsend. As he was then involved in the transfer wrangle he was forced to withdraw from the Hitachi match but this time around he gets his chance to display his talents against top opposition.

PETER IRVING [Weston] Midfielder aged 28 years

Peter won last year's Sydney Morning Herald Best & Fairest competition while playing with Azzuri but, if anything, he has improved this year. His attacking play and running off the ball has been a keynote in the Bear's continued success this year. He has previously captained northern sides so he knows what sort of effort is required.

GEOFF FINCH [Toronto-Awaba] Midfielder aged 24 years

After 10 junior and 3 senior years with Toronto-Awaba, Geoff journeyed to Britain where he became a regular member of the Southern League team, Margate. Geoff had represented the north against Manchester City, Australian squad and the English F.A. before his trip and on his return he was immediately selected for the team

against Hitachi. Geoff is essentially a left footed player and likes to test opposing defences with probing runs down to the goal area.

PAUL QUEENAN [Adams-town] Striker aged 21 years

One of Rosebuds' three major off-season purchases he has more than justified coach Joe Lanzoni's faith in him by scoring 18 goals at the time of going to press. His early career was spent with Jesmond, Lambton, Newcastle Austral and Hamilton Azzuri before he moved to Cardiff for three years. It was here that his opportunism and dedication brought him his just rewards and recognition. Though he only played the first half of the Hitachi match he will be a much better player for having had the run.

BOGDAN DUMA [Weston] Striker aged 24 years

Bogdan's dying ambition is to play for Australia. His mastery in the air, coupled with ball skills and powerful running, would make him an ideal selection many northern critics believe and tonight he gets his chance to prove himself. Bogdan only commenced soccer at fourteen and apart from a six months' spell in England he played all his soccer for Maitland until being signed by Weston during the off-season. Already he has put twenty in the back of the net despite missing some matches early in the season.

KEN WORDEN [Weston] Striker aged 29 years

One of the few specialist left wingers in the game today, Ken is in his third season with the Bears after migrating to Australia from England where he spent three years with Preston North End in their minor grade teams. Ken is a potential match winner and always seems to "turn on" in a big match. Ken is also a noted spot kick man and uses the "banana ball" to great advantage.

STEVE WERRIN [Toronto-Awaba] Striker aged 17 years

Steve blasted his way onto the local scene this year with a sensational 5 goal effort against New Lambton and followed it up with more dazzling performances to take his season's

tally to 24. Steve is still a student at St. Pius X school and has a long promising career ahead of him. What he lacks in experience he more than makes up for with his phenomenal work rate and his ability to "shoot on sight".

DARYL EVANS [Newcastle Austral] Defender aged 21 years

Despite his youth Daryl has already represented the north on four occasions. There are few who can match his speed and his back tackling is a feature of his game on those rare occasions when he is passed by an opponent. Daryl's red hair makes him easy to spot when on the park. He can be relied upon also to give maximum effort at all times while playing.

FORBES WOOD [Weston] Goalkeeper aged 32 years

Played with Maitland and New Lambton before joining the all conquering Bear's line-up. Kept a clean sheet against Hitachi and was runner-up in last year's "Goalkeeper of the Year" award. Forbes originally hails from Scotland and has represented the north on many previous occasions.

DAVID BUTLER [Hamilton Azzuri] Goalkeeper aged 22 years

A surprise last minute inclusion David gets the chance at representative honours because of recent consistent performances under pressure against top club sides. In his younger days David won selection in school and Youth Squad teams though this is his first senior selection.

WERNER WINIARCZYK [Hamilton Azzuri] Fullback aged 21 years

If there is one thing Werner loves it is his weekend game of soccer. An overlapping defender in the modern style he admits to modelling himself on Roy Johnson. This comes fairly easy to him as in his youth he represented for the Macquarie Association as a right winger. His senior football has been spent with only his present club and one other - Lake Macquarie. A fitness fanatic, he enjoys long distance running and his pleasant personality has endeared him to Azzuri fans this year.

WARREN HALVERSON [Weston] Defender aged 22 years

Though mysteriously absent from the original squads, Warren is generally rated amongst the top three full backs in the north. Since his transfer from Cessnock to Weston he has blossomed into a top class player. His robust tackling and determination to win the ball make him a feared defender and his thoughtful distribution adds to his side's attacking power.

ALLAN RUSSELL [Wallsend] Defender aged 24 years

"The guy who never gave up". That's what they're calling Allan out Crystal Palace way. During his rise to fame he has had both arms broken and a cartilage operation on his leg. Allan never lost heart and he capped his comeback with a great performance against Bogdan Duma in a recent club match. Though it is little known, Allan is on the committee of the Wallsend Supporters Club which just gives some indication of how dedicated he is.

ANDY ROBERTSON [Cardiff] Defender aged 19 years

Although listed as a defender Andy often plays in midfield and not so long ago was selected in a State C.H.S. team as a striker! He spent his junior soccer playing with Warners Bay and Lake Macquarie before moving to Cardiff. Probably Andy's greatest asset is his thoughtful distribution which can create havoc amongst opposing defences.

JOHN PARKS [Wallsend] Midfielder aged 21 years

The son of a former Australian player, Hedley Parkes, John has been the Devils' most consistent player over the last two seasons. His dangerous foraging runs often find gaps and it is not uncommon to see him listed amongst the goalscorers. John is a "dyed-in-the-wool" Wallsend man and spent all his junior years with the club.

IAN STONE [Hamilton Azzuri] Midfielder aged 16 years

Ian is the youngest of Hamilton's three youthful representatives and is only in his second season of senior football. Though obviously still maturing his

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performances on the park often belie his age. His ball skills, ability to read play and to distribute accurately plus a helping hand from a very keen father all go to make Ian a player of the future.

JAMES HOGG [Cessnock City] Striker aged 23 years

If the name seems familiar it could be that you are a cricket fan. In that vein James has been tipped as a possible selection for the State but his ability on the football field has been noticed too and he gains his first selection on the basis of speed plus penetrating play.

GRAHAM BULL [Lake Macquarie] Striker aged 18 years

"Beat two defenders, drew the goalkeeper and pushed the ball into an open net". That's the story of Graham Bull's 19 goals this year. His clever close ball play coupled with a deceptive turn of pace make him a dangerous attacker when in possession. Not a noted 90 minute player, Graham tends to take the chances if they come but the big

crowd atmosphere may stir him on to greater efforts.

GRAHAM CUMMINGS [Newcastle Austral] Striker aged 22 years

Graham seems to delight in scoring hat-tricks as 12 of his 13 goals have come from that direction this year. Graham possesses a ground shot that can be lethal from anywhere within 25 metres range. Part of the secret of his power is his superb sense of timing which "allows maximum result from minimum effort."

PAUL ROBERTSON [Cessnock City] Striker aged 17 years

Injury robbed Paul of possible State C.H.S. selection this year but bigger things have come his way in a matter of weeks. His meteoric rise from third grade 2nd division to first team 1st division then to northern representative in the space of a few months is due in no uncertain measure to his fantastic speed. Local fans are optimistic that he might even leave some of the World Cup players in his wake.

He also possesses a keenness to shoot whenever the chance arises - witness his 11 goals this season, which, for a left winger, is quite impressive.

ALAN COOPER [Weston] Striker aged 29 years

Alan has slipped from his spot as the north's top winger but his experience and ability to feed his fellow forwards still make him a valuable member of the northern side. Alan arrived from Glasgow in 1969 and has spent his entire playing time out here with the Bears. He is their eighth representative in the squads.

WAYNE LEARY [Lake Macquarie] Midfielder aged 21 years

Wayne made his way into the squads after Dennis Wright pulled out. His power packed displays have been one of the main reasons for Lakes prominent position on the points table this year. The type of player who is never beaten, he is essentially a defending midfielder but has the ability to carry the ball upfield on occasions.

N.N.S.W. COACH

BOB FRAME - An ex-N.N.S.W. and southern N.S.W. representative himself, Bob knows only too well the effort that is required from his charges in tonight's match. After playing first grade soccer with Wallsend for 16 years, Bob switched to coaching and he handled West Wallsend, Cardiff and Mayfield before returning to his old club, Wallsend.

Bob is a holder of the senior coaching certificate which is the highest standard attainable in Australia.

N.N.S.W. MANAGER

JOHNS DUNCAN - Secretary of the second division club Kotara South, John's personal qualities have made him a natural for the job of team manager.

Pleasant and friendly, yet efficient and dignified, he is the kind of ambassador who can place the north's image on a higher plane in other soccer centres.

Referees: Main fixture W. JONES

Bill Jones is a well known northern referee and has over 300 first grade games to his credit. Bill handled the Hitachi match and his first class performance then undoubtedly ensured his selection for this match. He will be ably assisted by his linesmen, who are top referees in their own right, Arthur Rodway and Eric Hawthorn.

Early fixture - W. TURNER

Bill Turner is not only well known as a top referee but also as our local Tasman Cup organiser. Bill gets his appointment after consistent first class performances throughout the current season. His linesmen will be Tony Hardes and Warren Miller. The standby referee is H.Hall.

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Original "B" Squad: George Schott [D.O.C. N.N.S.W.], James Hogg, G.Cummings, J.Parkes, A.Russell, S.Griffiths, W.Winiarczyk, J.Lanzoni [Asst. Coach]. Front row: G.Bull, P.Robertson, W.Halverson, S.Werrin, I.Stone, A.Robertson. Absent: W.Leary, D.Butler. Vic Ash Photo

Time to Pause

Every organisation of any value to sport has certain halting places on its progressive course, in which it takes its bearing, sums up its results and prepares for the future.

It is comparable to the traveller who after steadily marching up the ascent of a long road, reaches the summit of the hill and looks around, from his vantage ground, on the surrounding country, choosing his path for the future, and in his choice, guided by the nature of the country he has traversed, by the difficulties he has encountered and overcome; cheered on by a realisation of growing strength and capacity for further effort which has crowned his arduous toils.

Such a vantage ground has been reached at this period in the history of football in Northern N.S.W. and Australia.

Northern N.S.W., who will celebrate its Centenary in 1984 are grateful for the great progress through those infant steps of those pioneers of 1884, and onward to today, through much world wide turmoil, of which many have passed on by, but we measure our strength for a new effort, by the test of our ~~expos~~ experience in the past.

~~It is~~ It is all for our good that we, as thoughtful people, should ponder over the future of football in this state and Australia; made possible by those early pioneers without the means and encouragement available to our present administrators.

Many people, including those charged with shaping of our way of life, now realise how large a part sport, and perhaps more especially football is playing in the great drama which threatens the very foundations of society throughout this country today.

The self control and reliance, development of our physical capacity gained by young people while playing Football. We in Northern N.S.W and Australia have capable people to create the opportunities for players to match their skill against any country in the world.

Our Australian player is intelligently enterprising.

Let us all be thankful that we had people with the foresight to realise what this great game of Football is, some of the early pioneers we cannot forget, Men like Andrew J. Macarlay, W Dodd & Joyer, Mr Fletcher the father of Football in Australia, A C Mayor, H. Sawyer, Then we turn to the Newcastle & Hunter region, Men like Charlie Kilpatrick, Bob Frame, The McIlroy, The Croarie, Wilson, Bryden, and of course Mr John Wenning. And the the years rolled along others to keep the Flame burning were.

Messrs Denton, Ellis, Samyln, Smart, Sheppard, Sam Delves, Andrew Irew, Sid Grant, Bill Reaney, Bill Jones, English, Sneddons, Hermonson, Casper, Douetts, Rees, Ferris, Ryan, Goodsir, yes as they go, their names are recorded forever.

Our game is in good hands, the future holds no fear for us.

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PRICELESS.

IT COULD BE PRELUDE TO NEW ERA OPENING IN TOP SOCCER

By PAUL MacKENZIE

THE MOST INTERESTING DEVELOPMENT IN DOMESTIC SOCCER -- NEW SOUTH WALES-WISE, THAT IS -- IS THE APPROACH BY OFFICIALS OF THE SOUTHERN N.S.W. FEDERATION TO THE NORTHERN SOCCER FEDERATION TO DISCUSS THE POSSIBILITY OF SOME NORTHERN TEAMS PLAYING IN THE SYDNEY COMPETITION NEXT SEASON.

IT IS INTERESTING ON MANY COUNTS -- NOT THE LEAST BEING THAT IT IS THE SOUTHERN FEDERATION WHICH HAS MADE THE ADVANCE. THIS IS OUT OF KEEPING WITH ITS ATTITUDE IN OTHER, AND RECENT YEARS WHEN IT SHUNNED THE NORTH AND ALMOST ANYTHING THAT CAME FROM IT.

WHAT, ONE WONDERS, HAS CAUSED THIS SUDDEN CHANGE IN THAT ATTITUDE?

DOES IT MEAN THAT OFFICIALS IN THE SOUTH WHO, FOR YEARS, HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO SEE FARTHER NORTH THAN THE NORTH SHORE END OF THE SYDNEY HARBOUR BRIDGE, HAVE AT LONG LAST REALISED THAT SOCCER IN N.S.W. DOES NOT START AND END IN SYDNEY -- THAT THERE ARE OTHER AREAS WHERE THE GAME IS PROGRESSING?

OR DOES IT MEAN THAT THE NORTHERN TEAMS' GOOD PERFORMANCES AGAINST THE AUSTRALIAN WORLD CUP TEAMS IN NEWCASTLE RECENTLY AND THE MUCH LESS RECENT SUCCESS BY THE NORTH'S UNDER 16 TEAM IN THE AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES IN BRISBANE, HAS JOLTED THEIR CONSCIENCE?

THE OPERATIVE WORD IN THE SOUTHERN APPROACH ABOUT TEAMS PLAYING IN THE SYDNEY COMPETITION IS "SOME".

WHAT DOES "SOME" MEAN? THAT COULD BE THE 64-DOLLAR QUESTION!

IS THIS AN ATTEMPT TO FILCH THE BEST TEAMS FROM THE NORTH TO BOLSTER THE SYDNEY COMPETITION? IF SO, THE IDEA SHOULD BE REPELLED COMPLETELY.

IS IT, HOWEVER, A PLAN TO ESTABLISH SOME FORM OF SUPER-LEAGUE WITH THE BEST TEAMS IN THE NORTH JOINING THE BEST IN THE SOUTH IN AN INTERCITY COMPETITION. IF SO, THE IDEA HAS MERIT AND SHOULD BE GIVEN FULL CONSIDERATION BY ALL CLUBS.

BUT, IF THE PLAN IS FOR ONLY ONE OR TWO TEAMS FROM THE NORTH TO GO TO SYDNEY EACH WEEK-END, IT SHOULD BE QUICKLY SCOTCHED. IT SHOULD BE DISMISSED OUT OF HAND, EVEN IF THE IDEA IS FOR TWO OR THREE NORTHERN TEAMS TO JOIN THE SYDNEY SIDES ON A HOME-AND-AWAY MATCH BASIS.

THAT WOULD DO NOTHING BUT WEAKEN THE NORTHERN N.S.W. FEDERATION PREMIERSHIP AND, THEREFORE, SHOULD NOT BE COUNTENANCED.

If this is an attempt to revive the old, well-remembered intercity competition, with ALL Northern teams participating, even on a one

series basis, let's have it by all means. Such a venture could do nothing but improve the game's image in both cities and do much to-

reservations because this is a bid that merits full study. From it could come the means for the advance for which Soccer has been searching for long enough. However, it is a matter that must be given careful and long consideration, since judgement must not be hasty or decisions made without having all the facts placed squarely on the table.

If the Northern clubs decide that the scheme is worthy of further investigation, they must clearly direct their representatives to attend the proposed meeting in Sydney on Tuesday and give them a complete mandate to act as seems wisest.

No doubt that meeting would be merely a preliminary skirmish round the subject with decisions to be taken later. As such there should be no harm--and perhaps much good in the North's officials attending.

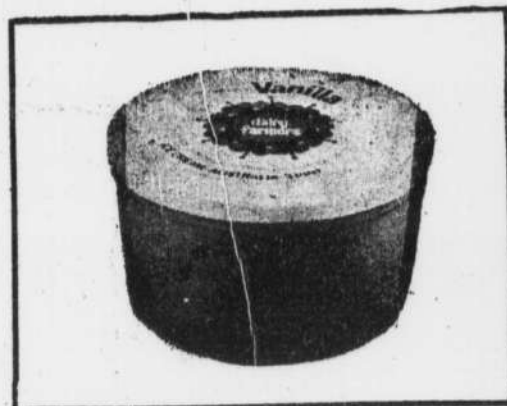
After all, it is the South holding out what seems to be an olive branch.

However, when the clubs meet tomorrow morning there should be plain talking -- and none with tongue in cheek -- for this is a most important development -- one not to be taken lightly.

If sane, sober discussion takes place, it could be a case of "Happy Days are Here Again."

ward bringing the crowds back to the game. "Northern Soccer News" is by no means pouring cold water on the move and commends both Federations for the interest being taken. It is yet up to the Northern Clubs to decide what is best to be done when they meet at Wallsend this Sunday morning. But the clubs cannot be blamed if they are somewhat suspicious and fear something of a thimble-and-pea trick.

It is to be hoped that clubs do not approach the subject with such



THIS IS A MOVE THAT MUST BE RESISTED TO THE END

By PAUL MacKENZIE

THE HIDE OF IT! THE CRASS CHEEK OF IT! THE PETTY, PAROCHIAL, PEURILE PRETENCE OF IT! THE RANK INJUSTICE OF IT! THE COMPLETE ABSURDITY OF IT!

OF WHAT, YOU ASK? I THOUGHT YOU WOULD HAVE GUESSED THAT "NORTHERN SOCCER NEWS" WOULD NOT MERELY SNIFF A NOSE AT THE ATTEMPT BY THE VICTORIAN SOCCER FEDERATION TO HAVE THE AUSTRALIAN SOCCER FEDERATION DISFRANCHISE THE NORTHERN N.S.W. SOCCER FEDERATION.

NO, SIRE! WE TAKE UP THE CUDGELS ON BEHALF OF THE NORTH.

THE VICTORIAN FEDERATION, ALL PIOUS AND PROPER -- AND NOT BEFORE TIME -- HAS COME TO LIGHT WITH THE REMARKABLE STATEMENT THAT THE PLAN OF THE FOUNDERS OF THE AUSTRALIAN FEDERATION WAS TO HAVE ONLY ONE CONTROLLING BODY IN EACH STATE, WITHOUT REGARD FOR GEOGRAPHICAL CONSIDERATION..... WITHOUT THOUGHT OF HOW SUCH A BIG AREA AS ARE SOME OF THE STATES WAS TO BE ADMINISTERED.

HOW, WE ASK, DOES THE VICTORIAN FOUNDATION KNOW WHAT WAS IN THE MINDS OF THE NATIONAL FEDERATION'S FOUNDERS? DID THEY LEAVE A BLUEPRINT? THEY DID NOT!

IN ANY CASE, IT WAS THE FOUNDERS WHO HELPED VOTE BOTH THE NORTHERN N.S.W. FEDERATION AND THE A.C.T. FEDERATIONS INTO BEING SO, OBVIOUSLY THEY COULD NOT HAVE BEEN AGAINST SUCH FORMATIONS, EITHER WHEN THEY FOUNDED THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OR AFTERWARDS.

THE VICTORIAN FEDERATION, IN A MOST PONTIFICAL OUTBURST, SPEAKS WITH OVERTONES OF HORROR AT THE IDEA OF DIVIDED CONTROL IN A STATE AND DEMANDS THAT IT BE ENDED FORTHWITH. IT WOULD SUIT IT BETTER TO PUT ITS OWN HOUSE IN ORDER, CONTROL IS DIVIDED IN VICTORIA WITH COUNTRY CENTRES NEGLECTED SHAMEFULLY....AND WITH NO EVIDENCE OF PROGRESS OUTSIDE THE CAPITAL CITY ---- AND DARN LITTLE INSIDE IT EITHER.

THE VICTORIAN FEDERATION HAS FORWARDED LETTERS TO OTHER STATE FEDERATIONS PROTESTING AGAINST NORTHERN N.S.W. AND THE A.C.T. CONTINUING TO HAVE AN AUTONOMY AND DEMANDING THAT IT BE TAKEN AWAY FROM THEM.

IT PROMISED TO TAKE THE MATTER TO THE AUSTRALIAN FEDERATION AND CLAIMS IT HAS SUPPORT OF OTHER STATES. THAT MUST BE MERELY GUESSWORK SINCE THERE HAS BEEN NO VOTE TAKEN AND PROMISES ARE BAKING TO PIECRUST.

HOWEVER, PEURILE AS THE MOVE MAY BE, IT CANNOT BE IGNORED. THE NORTHERN N.S.W. FEDERATION MUST COUNTER IT WITHOUT DELAY.

IT CAN DO THIS BY DRAFTING A LETTER TO THE OTHER STATE FEDERATIONS OUTLINING THE WORK THE NORTH HAS DONE IN PROMOTING THE GAME AND EXPLAINING THE DIFFICULTY ONE ADMINISTRATION WOULD HAVE TO CONTROL THE GAME IN SUCH A BIG STATE AS IS N.S.W.

Northern N.S.W. can provide a very strong case. It is one that should convince other State Federations --- perhaps even that in Victoria, of the need for it to continue as it has done -- making sure that the Soccer gospel is carried far and wide in the North in this State.

Since there seems to be a new, and better, understanding developing between the Northern and Southern Federations in N.S.W., the North could do worse than enlist the aid of the Southern body by asking it to also communicate with other State Federation, backing the North's case.

TIME NEARS

The Queensland Federation is not likely to side with Victoria because the time is fast coming when it, too, must hand over some of its control if the game is to be properly administered in its own bailiwick - and relationships between the North and Queensland has always been on a sound footing... or so it has seemed. But the North must not procrastinate in this matter. The time for it to act is right NOW!

The Victorians are pushing their barrow. The North should show that it can push a bigger and better one and at a faster, and stronger pace.

If there is delay, the Victorians could win the day because of the North's apathy -- and that would ruin us.

It needs only a well-framed letter to blow the Victorians sky-high, so go to it..... RIGHT NOW!

Adamstowns handy lead in club championship

ADAMSTOWN ROSEBUDS HAVE AGAIN WON THE NORTHERN N.S.W. SOCCER FEDERATION'S CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP - A WELL DESERVED REWARD FOR A WELL ORGANISED CLUB.

ADAMSTOWN TEAMS FINISHED SECOND IN THE FIRST GRADE PREMIERSHIP, HAD A CLEAR WIN IN THE RESERVE GRADE AND FINISHED WELL UP IN THE THIRD GRADE COMPETITION TO GAIN AN OVERALL TOTAL OF 278 POINTS 26 IN FRONT OF WESTON BEARS.

THE FIGURES BELOW ARE FROM OUR OWN RECORDS AND HAVE NOT BEEN CHECKED WITH THOSE OF THE NORTHERN N.S.W. FEDERATION SINCE THE FEDERATION'S PUBLICITY COMMITTEE HAS NOT - REPEAT NOT - GIVEN THE CO-OPERATION PROMISED BY FEDERATION OFFICIALS AT THE START OF THE SEASON. IN FACT, WE HAVE YET, IN THE MATTER OF CO-OPERATION, TO KNOW THAT THE COMMITTEE EXISTS.

HOWEVER, DESPITE THE LACK OF A CHANCE TO CHECK OUR FIGURES WITH THE OFFICIALS RECORDS, WE CONSIDER OUR MATHEMATICS TO BE ON THE MARK.

HERE ARE THE FIGURES FOR EACH CLUB:-

CLUB	FIRST	RESERVE	THIRD	TOTALS
Adamstown	168	88	30	278
Weston	168	60	24	252
Tor. Awaba	144	58	34	236
Lake Mac.	124	66	26	216
Wallsend	104	62	27	193
Cessnock City	116	42	16	174
New Austral	84	54	32	170
West Wallsend	86	56	28	170
Hamilton Azz.	88	44	35	167
Cardiff	76	56	33	165
Bel. Swansea	72	46	30	148
Mayfield Un.	64	48	31	143
New Lambton	84	42	13	139
Maitland	30	12	7	49
TOTALS	1400	734	366	2500

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1974 Season

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The Northern season would open once again with a visit from an Overseas team. As stated previously, while we like these visits they are grossly unfair to our Northern players. Our players have been out of training for at least 16 weeks, and we still have at least 12-14 weeks before the start of the new season.

Northern N.S.W. 2 v Ferencvaros 4

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John Hogg (Lissonock)
Ray Johnson (Weston) / John Clinton (Adamstown)
Tom Sneddon (Weston)
John Welham (Lake Macg) / Allan Russell (Wallsend)
Warren Helverson (Weston)
Bruce Tracey (Wallsend)
Joe Senkalski (Adamstown) / John Bond (Weston)
Peter Irving (Weston)
Steve Werrin (Tor. Awaba) / G Bull (Adamstown)
Bogdan Duma (1) Weston
Ron Giles (1) Tor. Awaba

Referee

1974	ADAMSTOWN	BEL SWAN	CARDIFF	CRESSNOCK	EDGE	AZZURRI	L. MAC D	MAYFIELD	N. AUSTRAL	N. LAMBTON	TORONTO	WALLSEND	WESTON	WEST. WALL.
1ST DIV														
Adamstown	X	4.1	2.1	1.3	3.1	3.3	2.1	4.0	2.4	0.3	3.2	0.1	2.2	4.2
		6.1	0.1	7.1	4.0	6.2	1.3	2.0	3.0	4.2	2.2	2.1	0.3	5.0
Bel.	1.4	X	0.3	0.3	3.2	2.5	0.2	1.3	2.1	0.7	0.1	2.4	0.7	3.6
Swansea	1.6		0.1	0.2	1.3	1.3	2.2	3.1	2.4	1.7	1.4	1.1	2.1	0.4
Cardiff	1.2	3.0	X	1.4	4.0	3.1	0.3	0.0	3.3	2.0	0.0	2.2	2.0	0.0
	1.0	1.0		3.2	2.1	1.2	2.2	1.0	3.0	0.3	1.2	3.1	1.1	2.6
Cressnock	3.1	3.0	4.1	X	4.0	1.0	0.1	4.0	3.1	1.2	2.4	1.1	2.1	1.2
City	1.7	2.0	2.3		2.2	2.3	1.1	2.2	1.3	1.3	2.1	1.2	4.0	2.5
Edgeworth	1.3	2.3	0.4	0.4	X	1.3	2.2	3.2	2.4	3.5	1.3	2.0	1.5	0.4
	0.4	3.1	1.2	2.2		2.2	0.5	3.1	3.2	0.5	0.2	2.1	0.1	0.1
Ham.	3.3	5.2	1.3	0.1	3.1	X	3.3	3.0	2.1	4.2	3.1	2.1	0.0	2.4
Azzurri	2.6	3.1	2.1	3.2	2.2		1.1	2.0	2.1	2.3	3.3	2.2	0.0	1.4
Lake	1.2	2.0	3.0	1.0	2.2	3.3	X	3.1	2.2	3.0	2.0	0.3	0.4	2.5
Macquarie	3.1	2.2	2.2	1.1	5.0	1.1		4.1	2.1	2.5	2.2	1.0	0.0	2.3
Mayfield	0.4	3.1	0.0	0.4	2.3	0.3	1.3	X	1.2	0.4	2.4	3.3	2.3	0.3
United	0.2	1.3	0.1	2.2	1.3	0.2	1.4		1.1	1.3	0.6	3.0	0.2	1.3
Newcastle	4.2	1.2	3.3	1.3	4.2	1.2	3.3	2.1	X	2.2	0.3	2.2	1.8	0.3
Austral	0.3	4.2	0.3	3.1	2.3	1.2	1.2	1.1		4.1	0.0	2.1	0.1	1.1
New	3.0	7.0	0.2	2.1	5.3	2.4	0.3	4.0	2.2	X	3.1	4.2	2.3	3.1
Lambton	3.4	7.1	3.0	3.1	5.0	3.2	5.2	3.1	1.4		1.0	1.0	0.2	2.1
Tor.	2.3	1.0	0.0	4.2	3.1	1.3	0.2	4.2	3.0	1.3	X	3.3	3.5	1.0
Awaba	2.2	4.1	2.1	1.2	2.0	3.3	2.2	6.0	0.0	0.1		3.2	1.2	1.1
Wallsend	1.0	4.2	2.2	1.1	0.2	1.2	3.0	3.3	2.2	2.4	3.3	X	1.0	3.2
	1.2	1.1	1.3	2.1	1.2	2.2	0.1	0.3	1.2	0.1	2.3		0.3	2.1
Weston	2.2	7.0	0.2	1.2	5.1	0.0	4.0	3.2	8.1	3.2	5.3	0.1	0.1	3.2
	3.0	1.2	1.1	0.4	1.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.1	3.0	X	1.2
West	2.4	6.3	0.0	2.1	4.0	4.2	5.2	3.0	3.0	1.3	0.1	2.3	2.3	X
Wallsend	0.5	4.0	6.2	5.2	1.0	4.1	3.2	3.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.2	2.1	

1974 Season

First Division Point Score

New Lambton	37
Weston	35
Adamstown	35
West Wallsend	35
Hamilton Azzurri	32
Lake Macquarie	31
Toronto Awaba	29
Cardiff	29
Cessnock City	28
Wallsend	21
Newcastle Australs	21
Edgeworth	15
Belmont Swansea	10
Mayfield United	8

Players Used

K. Cooper (26), Steve Gazzard (26), Alan Woods (25), Alan Nisbett (21), P. Sanders (20), Brian Smith (21), M. Burrows (19), Ron O'Hearne (20), T. Palagyi (19), Phil Williams (16), Tony Faulkner (12), F. Musilak (10), P. Gardner (10), K. Woodhead (9), Geoff Keogh (60), R. Richards (6), Gary Gazzard (6), Bob Murdock (6), D. Faulkner (5), Dave Guthrie (1), L. Urador (3), G. Douglas (1)

Scorers

Palagyi (10), Nesbitt (6), Woods (3), T. Gazzard (3), Burrows (2), O'Hearne (1)

1974 Season (*continued*)

Mayfield United	2	Weston	3
	0	Hamilton Azzurri	3
	2	Toronto Awaba	4
	0	Adamstown	4
	0	West Wallsend	3
	3	Wallsend	3
	1	Lake Macquarie	3
	0	Cessnock	4
	3	Belmont Swansea	1
	0	Cardiff	0
	0	New Lambton	4
	2	Edgeworth	3
	1	Newcastle Australs	2
	0	Weston	2
	0	Hamilton Azzurri	2
	0	Toronto Awaba	6
	0	Adamstown	2
	1	West Wallsend	3
	3	Wallsend	0
	1	Lake Macquarie	4
	2	Cessnock	2
	0	Cardiff	1
	1	New Lambton	3
	1	Edgeworth	3
	1	Newcastle Astrals	1

Mayfield relegated to Second Division for 1975.

1974

10-88

Appearances

Adamstown

Dennis Wright (26) Steve Goodburn (26) Joe Senkalski (24)
Willie Gallagher (22) Kevin Lagerstrom (25) John Clinton (21)
Geoff Williams (21) G. Hardes (16) Paul Queenan (22)
Peter Dewhurst (21) Graham Bull (10) R "Dick" Bullen (14)
Colin Peattie (8) Daryl Regan (10) Doug Johns (7)
Watwick Alexander (6) G. McRae (6) Tony Edwards (6)

Scores

Lagerstrom (17) Senkalski (14) Queenan (12) Bull (5) Hardes (5)
Johns (4) Clinton (2) McRae (4) Wright (3) Dewhurst (2)
Bullen (2) Williams (1) Alexander (1)

Belmont Swansea

W Cashman (25) Brian Perrin (22) Don Harrison (21)
Wayne Brough (20) Jerry Barr (21) J. Price (18) Ossie Bellamy (20)
K Japp (19) Alan Johns (13) Russell Jones (11) Steve Carr (11)
J. Bullock (9) P. Judd (9) Jack Hitchcock (8) N Harrower (7)
Lee Bennis (7) A Smith (5) J Harrison (7) N Nichols (6)
Kaiser (3) G. McKeane (5) B. Coutts (5) J Mantle (2)
W Flemming (2) P. Deaves (4) N Jeffress (3) J. Rowbottom (4)
Brian Gay (3) K Pearson (2)

Scores

Bellamy (12) Harrison (6) Brough (2) Bullock (3) Jones (2)
Smith (2) Barr (1) Deaves (1)



1974

Cardiff Appearances.

G. Walker (26) J. Conway (26) G. Baldwin (22) L. Beattie (24)
 Warren Rendell (22) L. Farmer (20) P. Conway (16) P. Wilson (15)
 Gary Hawthorne (10) K. Ford (2) W. Isaacs (1) L. Evans (3)
 W. Blake (2) W. Hines (2) K. Jones (1) Peter Pont (24)
 Warren Wahlstedt (23) David Roskell (23) G. Smith (22)

Scorers.

J. Conway (10) P. Conway (1) Roskell (10) Rendall (12) Pont (4)
 Wilson (2) Wahlstedt (2) Baldwin (1)

Llennock City.

N. Broadbent (26) Graham King (26) Paul Mitchell (26) John Hogg (26)
 James Hogg (9) Paul Robertson (25) P. Whitfield (25) J. Lowen (20)
 Mike Southworth (17) R. Paul (15) Steve Allen (14) P. Knipe (11)
 R. Brennan (12) P. Marks (10) K. Riley (9) B. Davies (1)
 Stuart Jackson (6) Paul Thompson (4) L. Inglis (4) L. Steele (2)

Scorers.

Mitchell (14) James Hogg (9) Southworth (9) Robertson (9) Riley (2)
 Brennan (3) Paul (1) Inglis (1) Whitfield (1) Marks (1)
 Knipe (1) Allen (1)

1974

Ridgeworth

Greg Fitts (25) Ray Bowles (25) Stuart Kamasz (25) Jock Bullen (24)
 P. Sinclair (23) Bill Davies (20) A Watkins (19) D. Slott (19)
 R Beagan (18) K McDonald (14) C Barnes (11) B. Comer (11)
 J. Beveridge (9) H. Smith (7) P. Burns (4) Steve Toth (8) R Woods (7)
 J. Marshall (3) A. Musgrove (3) D. O'Brien (1) G. Sessions (2)
 R Smith (2) R McKenzie (1) G. Williams (1)

Scores

Kamasz (9) Fitts (6) Sinclair (9) Bowles (5) Slott (3) Smith (1) Barnes (1)

Hamilton Azzurri

Ian Stone (26) D Butler (26) J Adamsthwaite (26) M Heath (26)
 W Maguire (24) Neville Power (22) Vic Juchnicuz (24)
 D Howell (22) J Adamson (21) Potts (14) D Rufo (13) G. Lingard (8)
 M Laidler (5) B McIlroy (9) D Storey (6) Peter Furlough (8)
 Max Black (4) G. Inel (5) G. Butler (2) Chris Miles (1)

Scores

Power (17) Maguire (7) Adamson (8) Juchnicuz (8) Stone (5)
 Lingard (5) Storey (2) Adamsthwaite (3)

1974

10-91

Lake Macquarie

Ken Gabriel (26) G. Turner (26) John Penfold (25) Richard Beckler (24)
Geoff Boardman (24) Wayne Leary (20) John Welham (20) G. Hall (18)
Eddie Phillips (24) Daryl Smith (13) B Boselem (14) W Mossman (13)
G. Leary (8) Robert Versey (15) D Harper (5) J. Richardson (5)
G. Hawkins (2) J. Scholfield (2) P. Tapp (2) J. Hurst (1) I Cowan (1)
A Hogan (1)

Scores

Boselem (11) Penfold (8) Hall (5) G. Leary (6) W Leary (3) Phillips (3)
Richardson (3) Boardman (3) Welham (3) Beckler (3) Turner (2)
Cowan (1)

Mayfield United

R Cooper (26) Steve Gazzard (24) Alan Woods (25) Alan Nesbitt (21)
P. Sanders (20) Brian Smith (21) M Burrows (19) R O'Hearne (20)
Phil Williams (16) J. Palagyi (19) Tony Faulkner (12) J. Musilak (10)
P. Gardner (10) K Woodhead (7) Geoff Keough (6) R Richards (6)
Gary Gazzard (6) Bob Mardack (6) D Fallkner (5) D Guthrie (1)
L. Urador (3) G. Douglas (3)

Scores

Palagyi (10) Nesbitt (6) Woods (3) S. Gazzard (3) Burrows (2) O'Hearne (1)

1974

10-92

Newcastle Australs

A Stevens (24) Daryl Evans (26) Wal Kallour (26) P. Gleeson (22)
 M Vryshkov (22) Russell Mansley (23) W Winniarcuz (19)
 Bob Davies (18) Alan Linsley (17) Robbie Lascance (12)
 B Hawkins (13) W Duncan (9) G. Webster (12) G. Cummings (10)
 Bruce Morrow (10) K Hill (7) R Demicola (7) P. Atkins (3)
 G. McLabe (4) G. Wolfenden (3) J Sullivan (1) Jodeas (4)

Scorers

Kallour (13) Morrow (2) Cummings (5) Davies (3) Hill (2)
 Vryshkov (2) Duncan (1) Webster (1) Stevens (1) Jodeas (1)
 Winniarcuz (1).

New Lambton

John Marshall (26) G. Gibson (25) Jim Foley (24)
 R Davies (24) P. Griffiths (26) Greg Schott (26) Robert Creswell (23)
 Kelly Strong (19) Russell Schott (23) C Bull (19) Norm Scott (8)
 B. Mayonibanks (9) B Goodwin (8) W Anderson (3)
 Stace Georgeff (2) W Telizack (1) Jack Routledge (22)

Scorers

~~Routledge~~ Routledge (19) R Schott (13) G. Schott (11) Creswell (15)
 Scott (4) Strong (6) Telizack (1) Foley (2) Anderson (1)
 Mayonibanks (1)

1974

10-93

Toronto Area.

R Stewart (26) John Kaiser (25) Don Henderson (26)
Neil Townsend (23) Alan Moore (24) Steve Werrin (22)
Deck Wilkin (23) Ron Giles (18) John Lowburn (19) Jerry Brown (15)
R Field (20) Barry Moore (15) Brian Whitehead (14)
Robert Kaiser (14) Gary Randall (4) J. Lull (1) B Addison (2)
G. Burke (1)

Scores.

Werrin (11) Henderson (9) Field (9) Whitehead (6) B Moore (5)
Giles (3) Stewart (3) Townsend (2) Lowburn (3) A Moore (1) Field (1)

WallSEND

Paul Brown (26) John Paskes (26) R Holding (25) Bruce Tracey (23)
Peter Partridge (23) G. Kongard (20) G. Kemp (19) Rick Hender (18)
Wayne Wells (16) Alan Russell (11) Gary Faome (11) P Probert (11)
Gary Semetka (8) John Maguire (6) G. Tickle (6) W. Lisdale (4) R Brown (6)
R Forbes (6) Ross Buchanan (5) S. Mulawa (5) Merv Duff (1)
Robbie Herd (1) B Hughes (2) G. Berquist (1) Warren Uals (2)
John Whitmore (1) Jake Rodenick (1) Richard Dear (1)
Lloyd Haades (1)

Scores.

Paskes (17) Hender (5) Kongard (5) Tracey (4) Mulawa (3)
Semetka (1) Uals (1) Russell (1) Holding (1) Probert (1)

1974

10-94

Weston

Tom Sneddon (26) Alan Cooper (25) Warren Halverson (23)
Peter Irving (23) Ray Lloyd (24) Ken Mc Lerie (23) Ray Lloyd (24)
Ken Mc Lerie (23) G. Mc Cabe (21) Terry Dobson (25) Forbes Wood (17)
Ray Johnson (18) John Bond (17) Jack Turnbull (9)
Jim Goldsmiths (9) C Payne (9) David Stoker (8) R Freebairn (8)
David Kamesz (2) John Turnbull (1)

Scores

Dobson (12) Payne (13) Irving (11) Lloyd (5) Cooper (3) Mc Cabe (5)
Bond (4) Johnson (3) Sneddon (1) Turnbull (1)

West Wallsend

Sel Mabbott (26) John Sneddon (26) Ken James (26) Bill Pryce (26)
Andy Robertson (26) David Hoddle (25) D. Jones (22)
Adam Duckkott (21) Alan Piggott (21) David Ahrens (15)
S. Coultis (17) Paul Gee (14) Colin Coultis (12) Steve Harney (5)
R Clarke (5) David Mc Manus (1) Trevor Morris (1)

Scores.

Duckkott (4) S. Coultis (15) Ahrens (14) Hoddle (8) James (6)
Piggott (7) Harney (3) Robertson (2) C Coultis (1) Mabbott (1)

1974

10-95

Semi Final at Crystal Palace 14/9/1974

Adamstown

3 v West Wallsend 2

Steve Goodburn

D. Jones

Daryl Regan

Paul Gee

Geoff Williams

Bill Payce

John Clinton

Andy Robertson

Peter Burdurst

John Sneddon (1)

Willie Gallagher

Steve Loutts

Dennis Wright (1)

David Huddle

Graham Bull

Sel Mabbott

Kevin Lagerstrom (1)

David Ahrens (1)

Joe Serkalski (1)

Adam Derkott

Warwick Alexander

Ken James.

Colin Prattie

Paul Queenan

Referee Jim Reeves.

Semi Final

New Lambton

1 v Weston 1

John Marshall

Jim Goldsmith

G. Gibson

Roy Johnson

Alan Davies

Tom Sneddon

Jim Foley

D Stoker

P. Griffiths

Warren Halverson

Greg Schott

Ray L Lloyd

B. Majoribanks

Tom McCabe

Jack Routledge

Alan Cooper

R Cresswell

Peter Irving

Russell Schott (1)

Jack Turnbull

Len "Kelly" Strong

Jerry Dobson (1)

Referee Billy Disney

1974

10-96

Semi-Final Replay Crystal Palace Walsley 19/9/1974
Weston 2 v New Lambton 1

Jim Goldsmith	John Marshall
Roy Johnson	G. Gibson
Tom Sneddon (1)	Alan Davies
D. Stokes	Jim Foley
Warren Halverson	P. Griffiths
Ray Lloyd	Greg Schott
Tom McCabe	B. Mayonchaks
Alan Cooper	Jack Routledge
Peter Irving	R. Cresswell
Jack Turnbull (1)	Russell Schott (1)
Jerry Dobson	Len "Kelly" Strong

Referee Bill Disney.

Final

Admestown

4 v New Lambton 0

Steve Goodburn	John Marshall
Daryl Regan	G. Gibson
Geoff Williams	Alan Davies
Willie Gallagher	Jim Foley
John Clinton	P. Griffiths
Peter Dewhurst	Greg Schott
Dennis Wright	B. Mayonchaks
Graham Bull (1)	Jack Routledge
Kevin Lagerstrom (2)	Robert Cresswell
Joe Sentkalski (1)	Russell Schott
Warwick Alexander	Len "Kelly" Strong / Norm Scott

Referee ~~Bill~~

Billy Turner.

1974

10-97

Grand Final Macquarie Field 29/9/1974

Weston

3 v Adamstown 2

Jim Goldsmith

Steve Goodburn

Roy Johnson

Daryl Regan

Wesley Halverson

Goff Williams

Tom Sneddon

John Clinton

David Stoker/Kerr Mc Lennan

Willie Gallagher/Dick Bullen

Tom Mc Cabe

Peter Dewhurst

Ray Lloyd (1)

Dennis Wright

Alan Cooper (1)

Graham Bull (1)

Jerry Dobson

Kevin Lagerstrom (1)

Peter Laming (1)

Joe Senkalski

Jack Turnbull

Warwick Alexander

Referee Bill Jones.

SAT 7-9-1974

WEEKEND TEAMS

MAYFIELD	NEW AUSTRAL	CESSNOCK	TOR. AWABA	BEL-SWANS	LAKE MAC.	CARDIFF	WALLSEND
Saturday at Mayfield		Sunday at Cessnock		Sunday at Blacksmiths.		Sunday at Cardiff Park.	
1. F. Musialik.	B. Hawkins.	J. Hogg.	T. Brown.	R. Jones.	K. Gabriel.	G. Walker.	G. Kemp.
2. T. Faulkner.	G. Wolfenden.	J. Cowan.	A. Moore.	S. Carr.	J. Welham.	C. Farmer.	S. Brown.
3. B. Smith.	D. Evans.	P. Whitfield.	G. Cowburn.	K. Tapp.	T. Richardson.	W. Wahlstedt.	W. Wills.
4. P. Saunders.	P. Gleeson.	N. Broadbent.	N. Townsend.	J. Cashman.	M. Twohill.	C. Beatty.	R. Holding.
5. K. Cooper.	R. Mansley.	G. Icing.	G. Kaiser.	B. Ferrin.	J. Penfold.	G. Smith.	P. Brown.
6. S. Gazzard.	N. Vrshkov.	K. Ricey.	R. Stewart.	D. Harrison.	R. Versey.	P. Convery.	B. Tracey.
7. A. Faulkner.	W. Kallaur.	P. Marks.	D. Henderson.	T. Barr.	A. Hamonet.	W. Rendall.	G. Norgard.
8. A. Woods.	B. Morrow.	S. Jackson.	R. Giles.	W. Brough.	J. Boardman.	D. Roskell.	J. Parkes.
9. T. Palaguyi.	A. Stevens.	M. Southworth.	K. Field.	O. Bellamy.	B. Boslem.	G. Baldwin.	N. Forbes.
10. R. O'Hearn.	W. Wyniarchek.	P. Mitchell.	S. Werrin.	J. Bullock.	A. Hogan.	J. Convery.	W. Vial.
11. A. Nisbett.	G. McCabe.	P. Robinson.	B. Whitehead.		G. Turner.	P. Wilson.	S. Mulawa.
REFEREE: J. Reeves; LINESMEN: L. Mottershead, J. Smith.		REFEREE: W. Disney; LINESMEN: W. Miller, J. Tattersall.		REFEREE: R. Warren; LINESMEN: D. Glanville, E. Hawthorn.		REFEREE: A. Hards; LINESMEN: J. Reeves, D. Thompson.	
N. LAMBTON	W. WALLSEND	EDGEWORTH	ADAMSTOWN	NEW AUSTRAL	MAYFIELD	HAM. AZZ.	WESTON.
Sunday at Edden Oval.		Sunday at Edgeworth.		Sunday at Austral Park.		Sunday at Whitebridge.	
1. J. Marshall.	D. Jones.	J. Bullen.	S. Goodbun.	B. Hawkins.	F. Musialik.	D. Butler.	F. Wood.
2. G. Gibson.	S. Mabbott.	A. McDonald.	G. Williams.	G. Wolfenden.	T. Faulkner.	B. McIlroy.	P. Halvorsen.
3. A. Davies.	W. Pryce.	A. Watkins.	D. Reagan.	D. Evans.	B. Smith.	M. Heath.	R. Freebairn.
4. B. Goodwin.	A. Robertson.	P. Anderberg.	W. Gallagher.	P. Gleeson.	P. Saunders.	D. Rufo.	T. Sneddon.
5. P. Griffiths.	J. Sneddon.	R. Beagan.	J. Clinton.	R. Mansley.	K. Cooper.	D. Howells.	K. McLerie.
6. J. Foley.	A. Piggott.	I. Beveridge.	P. Dewhurst.	N. Vrshkov.	S. Gazzard.	I. Stone.	J. Turnbull.
7. G. Schott.	A. Durkott.	D. Slott.	D. Wright.	W. Kallaur.	A. Faulkner.	J. Adamthwaite.	E. Irvine.
8. G. Rutledge.	D. Hoddle.	S. Kamasz.	G. Hards.	B. Morrow.	A. Woods.	B. Juchniewicz.	A. Cooper.
9. B. Marjoribanks.	S. Coutts.	R. Bowles.	K. Lagerstrom.	A. Stevens.	T. Palaguyi.	G. Lingard.	R. Lloyd.
10. R. Cresswell.	D. Ahrens.	G. Fitts.	J. Senkalski.	W. Wyniarchek.	R. O'Hearn.	W. Maguire.	G. Payne.
11. R. Schott.	K. James.	P. Sinclair.	P. Queenan.	G. McCabe.	A. Nisbett.	N. Power.	T. Dobson.
REFEREE: A. Rodway; LINESMEN: W. Jones, L. Mottershead.		REFEREE: H. Hall; LINESMEN: W. Pye, J. Smith.		REFEREE: T. Sutherland; LINESMEN: B. Ray, V. Pollock.		REFEREE: J. Kidd; LINESMEN: W. Turner, W. Screen.	

1974 Second Division

Charlestown United	31	Premiers
Central Coast United	26	
Maitland	25	
Jesmond	21	
Lambton	19	
Kotara South	18	
West Lakes United	12	
Raymond Terrace	12	
Muswellbrook	9	
Merewether Advance	7	

Maitland Grand Final Winners .

Second Division Grand Final

Second Division Grand Finals will be played in all Grades on Saturday afternoon at Crystal Palace Ground.

The First Grade match between Minor Premiers Charlestown United and runner-up Maitland will commence at 3.00p.m. and is sure to attract a large following for the game.

Charlestown team has had an excellent season and has earned promotion to First Division for the Club.

They went through the season of eighteen games with the loss of only five points, a truly remarkable effort, and should carry their consistent performance in to this match.

By comparison, Maitland team lost eleven points during the season with four lost games, - and three draws - must start as the "underdog" in this match.

Maitland earned their Grand Final position in the hard way by winning the Minor Semi Final two-one - against Jesmond and then by defeating Central Coast in the final last week-end one goal to nil.

Charlestown eleven had a rest during last weekend without competition football, and will need to get into stride smartly again to take out Major honours.

SECOND GRADE

Second Division Second Grade Minor Premiers Charlestown, will be matched against long standing rival Jesmond who finished second to them on the points score table and who also travelled the long way to the Grand Final.

Beaten by Charlestown previously two-nil - in the Major semi-final, - Jesmond had to survive the rigors of a final on Saturday last, against Kotara South, - a final that they won by two goals to nil.

Jesmond meet Charlestown knowing that they have yet to beat that team this season, even though they went close with a one-all draw during the second round. Charlestown must

start as favourites for this game.

THIRD GRADE

Kotara South and Lambton will meet in the Third Grade Grand Final in what could be described as a copybook match.

Each team has registered a win over their opponent during the two rounds of fixtures, with Kotara South winning one-nil on the first occasion and losing one-two on the second occasion. Neither team has met the other on the way to the Grand Final, through the Semi-Final - Final section, so the Stage is set for a cliff-hanger.

Crystal Palace Ground will be dressed for the best of Second Division Soccer Teams - to show their worth to the public on Saturday afternoon.

SECOND DIVISION - GRAND FINALS

LAMBTON	KOTARA STH.	JESMOND	CHARLESTOWN	MAITLAND	CHARLESTOWN
J. Nisner.	K. Minter.	R. Morrison.	G. Christenson.	S. Griffiths.	B. Bendevski.
P. Gates.	P. Atkinson.	R. Cumming.	D. Morris.	G. Niznik.	V. Hayes.
G. Grainger.	D. Beveridge.	J. Hobson.	P. Knight.	J. Bennett.	P. Slott.
K. Butterworth.	G. Pickles.	P. Mabbott.	D. Bull.	S. Babic.	W. Sievers.
B. Slatter.	K. Mepstead.	G. Wardley.	A. Knight.	C. Kelly.	K. Jones.
G. Stevens.	C. Warrad.	B. Pole.	M. Walsh.	T. Arrowsmith.	J. Finnie.
J. Price.	R. Hartley.	I. Geans.	A. Convery.	H. Naisby.	A. Bone.
T. Meripilis.	J. Bower.	G. Prior.	P. Paulus.	S. Duma.	E. Howell.
G. Patterson.	I. Smith.	T. Schofield.	S. Bland.	K. Boardman.	T. Aspinall.
J. Stefanouski.	C. Curry.	N. Webster.	C. Wallace.	K. Eleanor.	B. Thompson.
R. Henry.	P. Brown.	A. Moyle.	G. Bright.	P. Osland.	G. Ball.
REFEREE: D. Glanville	LINESMEN: T. Brennan, A. Williams.	REFEREE: B. Ray.	LINESMEN: T. Brennan, A. Williams.	REFEREE: J. Tattersall.	LINESMEN: T. Brennan, A. Williams.

7-9-1974

Semi Final Ampol Cup

Cessnock 3 v Hamilton Aggrey 3

John Hogg

Chris Miles

J. Cowan

Mansel Laidlaw

P. Whitfield

Paul Heath

G. King

Merv Black

R. Broadbent

Dave Howells

R. Paul

Wayne Inguise (1)

James Hogg (2)

Ian Stone

M. Southworth

Jerry Adamson

P. Mitchell (1)

Grant Storey

S. Allen

G. Lingard

P. Knipe

Keville Power (2)

Referee.

Replay Semi Final

Cessnock 3 v Hamilton Aggrey 2

H. Duncan

Butler

J. Cowan

M. Laidlaw

P. Whitfield

M. Heath

R. Broadbent

P. Lott

G. King

D. Howell

S. Allen

Ian Stone

R. Paul

J. Adamithwaite

James Hogg (1)

J. Adamson (1)

M. Southworth (1)

W. Inguise

P. Mitchell

Lingard

Paul Robertson (1)

K. Power (1)

Referee.

Ampol Cup Final (Crystal Palace Welling) 19/4/1974
 New Lambton 2 - Cessnock 1

John Marshall

G. Gibson

Alan Davies

C Bull

P. Griffiths

Greg Schott (1)

Jim Foley

Jack Routledge

Bob Cresswell

Russell Schott (1)

Len "Kelly" Strong

John Hogg

J. Lowan

Phil Whitfield

N. Broadbent

Graham King

Steve Allen

R Paul

James Hogg

Mike Southworth

P. Mitchell (1)

Paul Robertson

Referee Billy Jones

Northern NSW 2 v Auckland 1

Macquarie Field 22/3/1974

John Hogg (Lismore)
 Bruce Tracey (Wallasey)
 John Penfold (Lake Macq) / John Saddington (West Wallasey)
 Tom Saddington (Weston)
 Warren Halverson (Weston)
 John Bond (Weston) / Stefan Kamary (Weston)
 Wayne Leary (Lake Macq) / Mike Southworth (1) Lismore
 Ron Giles (Tor. Awarua)
 Peter Irving (Weston)
 Steve Werrin
 Ken James (1) West Wallasey

Referee...

Ampol Cup Semi Final 1974.

New Lambton 3 v Edgeworth 2

John Marshall	Jock Bullen
G. Gibson	H. Faith
Alan Davies	P. Burns
C. Bull	Musgrove
P. Griffiths	Bill Davies
Greg Schott	G. Felts
Jim Foley	P. Sinclair
Jack Routledge	S. Marshall
Russell Schott (1) / R. Cresswell (1)	Ray Bowles
Lex "Kelly" Strong (1)	Stuart Kamary (1)
Norm Scott	D. O'Brien (1)

Referee

Northern N S W 1 v Aberdeen 4

25/5/1974 Macquarie Field.

John Hogg (Lessnock)

Bruce Tracey (WallSEND)

Graham King (Lessnock)

Tom Sneddon (Weston)

Warren Halverson (Weston)

Alan Davies (New Lambton)

Wayne Leary (Lake Macquarie)

Ron Giles (1) Toronto Awaba)

Graham Bull (Adamstown)

John Parkes (WallSEND)

Ken James (West WallSEND)

Reserves

David Butler (Hem Oggioni)

John Penfold (Tor. Awaba)

Joe Senkalski (Adamstown)

Jim Soley (Adamstown)

Referee.

1974

Northern N & W 20 Persidja Dakota 1

John Hogg (Lessnock)

John Claton (Adamstown)

Tom Saddington (Weston)

John Welham (Lake Macquarie)

Warren Halverson (Weston)

Bruce Tracey (?) Wallend

Peter Irving (Weston)

Grahame Cummings (Australia)

Steve Werrin (Toronto Awaba)

Bogdan Duma (?) Weston)

Ron Giles (Tor. Awaba)

Reserves.

Alan Russell (Wallend)

Graham Bull (Adamstown)

Referee

1975	Adamstown	Bel Swanes	Candiff	Lesmoock. C	Charlestown	Edgeworth	Ham Aggum	Lake Macg	New Australia	New Lambton	Tor. Awaba	10-106 Wallend	West Wallend	Weston
Adamstown	X	4.0 6.3	6.2 5.0	5.3 1.0	6.0 2.0	2.1 6.0	2.0 2.0	8.0 2.2	8.2 6.2	5.0 0.0	2.0 3.1	6.3 1.2	2.2 0.3	0.4 1.0
Bel	0.4		1.1	4.8	0.1	3.4	1.2	4.2	5.3	1.5	2.3	0.2	4.2	2.3
Swanes	3.6	X	1.2	1.1	1.4	2.2	2.4	1.4	2.1	0.3	0.1	1.2	1.3	0.0
Candiff	2.6 0.5	1.1 2.1		1.1 3.0	4.1 2.0	3.2 0.2	0.1 1.2	0.4 1.1	5.3 3.2	4.0 2.1	0.2 2.1	1.6 6.1	6.2 0.3	1.1 2.2
Lesmoock	3.5	8.4	1.1		3.1	1.3	1.1	1.1	7.1	2.0	2.0	3.1	1.1	0.3
City	0.1	1.1	0.3	X	1.0	1.4	2.1	3.2	1.2	2.2	1.0	0.4	0.2	1.0
Charlestown	0.6 0.2	1.0 4.1	1.4 0.2	1.3 0.1		1.4 1.7	1.2 1.3	2.3 1.2	2.5 3.5	0.2 1.0	0.5 1.1	1.2 1.1	1.2 0.2	0.1 0.2
Edgeworth	1.2 0.6	4.3 2.2	2.3 2.0	3.1 4.1	4.1 7.1		3.1 2.1	2.0 3.3	4.4 2.2	3.1 1.2	1.1 2.2	1.0 2.2	4.5 2.5	2.2 0.1
Ham	0.2	2.1	1.0	1.1	2.1	1.3		0.3	2.1	4.5	1.6	2.1	0.3	0.1
Aggum	0.2	4.2	2.1	1.2	3.1	1.2	X	0.2	2.2	3.3	1.1	0.0	3.2	1.2
Lake	0.8	2.4	4.0	1.1	2.2	0.2	3.0		1.5	1.0	3.1	0.3	0.0	1.1
Macquarie	2.2	4.1	1.1	2.3	2.1	3.3	2.0	X	2.2	3.3	1.4	3.1	2.3	0.2
Newcastle	2.8	3.5	3.5	1.7	5.2	4.4	3.2	5.1		8.0	2.0	1.2	3.2	0.1
Australia	2.6	1.2	2.3	2.1	5.3	2.2	2.2	2.2	X	2.3	2.2	0.5	0.5	2.4
New	0.5	5.1	0.4	0.2	2.0	1.3	5.4	0.1	0.8		1.6	2.3	1.8	0.2
La. Hon	0.0	3.0	1.2	2.2	0.1	2.1	3.3	3.3	3.2	X	0.2	1.0	3.3	0.2
Toronto -	0.2	3.2	2.0	0.2	5.0	1.1	6.1	1.3	0.2	6.1		0.1	3.1	0.1
Awaba	1.3	1.0	1.2	0.1	1.1	2.2	1.1	4.1	2.2	2.0	X	3.0	3.0	2.3
Wallend	3.6 2.1	2.0 2.1	6.1 1.6	1.3 4.0	2.1 1.1	0.1 2.2	1.2 0.0	3.0 1.3	2.1 5.0	3.2 0.1	1.0 0.3		3.3 0.4	0.2 0.2
West -	2.2	2.4	2.6	1.1	2.1	5.4	3.0	0.0	2.3	8.1	1.3	3.3	X	2.2
Wallend	3.0	3.1	3.0	2.0	2.0	5.2	2.3	3.2	5.0	3.3	0.3	4.0		0.1
Weston	4.0 0.1	3.2 0.0	1.1 2.2	3.0 0.1	1.0 2.0	2.2 1.0	1.0 2.1	1.1 2.0	1.0 4.2	2.0 2.0	1.0 3.2	2.0 2.0	2.2 1.0	X

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1st DIV Point Score

Adamstown Premiers	43
Weston	42
West Wallend	32
Edgeworth	30
Cardiff	29
Cessnock	28
Toronto Awaba	27
Wallend	26
Lake Macquarie	26
Newcastle Australia	21
Hamilton Aggerni	21
New Lambton	19
Belmont Swansea.	12
Charlestown	8.

Player Appearances.

Adamstown

Steve Goodburn (26) Daryl Evans (26) Daryl Regan (22) B. Davis (2)
 Willie Gallagher (25) John Clinton (18) Dennis Wright (19)
 Mark Smith (25) Steve Wallace (17) Graham Bull (20)
 Kevin Lagerstrom (26) Joe Senkalecki (23) Gary Nesbitt (14)
 Trevor Smythe (20) J Harrison (20) Geoff Williams (2) Peter Jaye (6)
 N. Adamsthwaite (6) Jim Foley (5) Warwick Alexander (4)
 N. Jones (1) G. McRae (1) D. Heasone (1)

Scorers

Gallagher (1) Clinton (1) Wright (5) Smith (7) Wallace (3) Bull (30)
 Lagerstrom (17) Senkalecki (16) Nesbitt (4) Smythe (4)
 Foley (1)

Belmont Swansea

Ossie Bellamy (15) Neil Jeffries (14) Russell Jones (23) Peter Gleeson (24)
 J. Cashman (21) John Bullock (24) Keiorn Doyle (14) Don Harrison (16)
 Joe Rowbottom (3) Geoff Lingard (22) Peter Dewhurst (20) R. Judd (2)
 Wayne Brough (18) Brian Gay (14) Brian Perrin (10)
 S. Carr (15) Gary Tapper (18) Jerry Barr (5) R. Nichols (6) J. Price (1)
 K. Tapp (8) J. Mantle (3) G. Clinton (1)

Scorers

Jones (2) Bullock (6) Doyle (2) Harrison (7) Lingard (10)
 Dewhurst (2) Brough (7) Tapper (2) Perrin (1) Nichols (1)

Cardiff

Phil Northy (19) J. Lowery (17) David Roskell (24) Chris Beatty (24)
 Warren Whalstedt (20) Greg Baldwin (4) Peter Pont (23) R. Checkly (5)
 P. Lowery (14) Paul Queenan (25) Warren Rendell (10)
 Greg Walker (7) M. Holding (17) Greg Smith (8) Wayne Leary (23)
 Gary Hawthorne (5) P. Wilson (23) S. Lamb (3) D. Roberts (1)
 Ron Giles (12) M. Maher (8) S. Turner (3) D. Gray (4)
 xx Ron Giles transferred from Awaba during the season.

Scorers.

Roskell (1) Beatty (1) Whalstedt (2) Pont (6) Checkly (1) Queenan (20)
 Rendell (1) Hawthorne (5) Wilson 4 Giles (8)

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Gessnock City

James Hogg (25) John Hogg (26) J. Lowan (26) Gary Fairlie (23)
Kerr Mc Lerie (18) Graham King (24) P. Marks (25) New Broadbent (26)
Mike Southworth (26) Stuart Jackson (6) Dennis King (24)
Phil Whitfield 3. Roberts (1) G. Wells (1) Paul Mitchell (24)
Paul Robertson (11) Kevin Duncan (5) P. Kripe (1) Paul Thompson (4)
A Papandrealli (1)

Scores

Mc Lerie (1) James Hogg (11) Southworth (12) King (2) Mitchell (13)
Robertson (5)

Charlestown

Boris Bendewski (18) G. Christensen (8) V. Hayes (18) W. Sievers (23)
Ray Richards (18) P. Hodges (7) J. Aspinall (20) Steve Bland (18)
Paul Paulus (7) Ted Howells (8) W. Reilly (1) G. Rangwana (1)
Ken Boardman (24) B. Thompson (10) K. Anderson (22)
S. Maloney (1) R. Thuram (1) P. Hodge (2) S. Cooper (3) G. Ball (20)
A. Bone (12) S. Mulawa (7) D. Bull (9) Keith Jones (6) D. Allomes (8)
Mr. Walsh (4) A. Conway (1) P. Fisher (1)

Scores

Richards (4) Bland (2) Paulus (2) Boardman (4) Thompson (2)
Ball (7) Bone (1) Mulawa (1) Allomes (1)

Edgeworth

Robert Kaiser (24) A Woods (15) A Watkins (23) M Heath (22)
 Greg Fitts (23) Stuart Kamasy (25) Peter Irving (25) D Slott (11)
 Ray Bowles (23) Alan Linsley (15) P. Sinclair (21) G. Hugo (2)
 R Reagan (22) J. Marshall (12) R Woods (11) J. Beveridge (1)
 D. O'Brien (6) R Lawrence (12) W Strong (2) Brian Dixon (3)
 G. Pickles (2)

Scores.

Fitts (5) Kamasy (16) Irving (6) Bowles (9) Linsley (10)
 Sinclair (9) Woods (4) O'Brien (6)

Hamilton Aggurni

D Butler (23) D Rufo (24) D Howells (25) Peter Fairleigh (22)
 A Mosher (11) G. Butler (10) G. Samuel (13) Greg Hardes (22)
 Wayne Maguire (26) Jerry Adamsthwaite (26) Neville Power (26)
 Jerry Adamson (14) Chris Miles (3) J. Robson (1) Paul Cotts (22)
 D. Story (8) Angelo Thodas (1) J. Carr (3) L Downey (1)
 Garry Semetka (9) Mansell Laidlaw (2) Steve Jones (1)

Scores.

Fairleigh (1) Samuel (1) Hardes (1) Maguire (5) Power (17)
 Adamsthwaite (7) Adamson (1) Story (1) Thodas (1)
 Downey (1) Laidlaw (1) Cotts (1)

1975

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Lake Macquarie

G. Smith (17) W Mossman (25) Mark Twohill (6) John Welham (22)
Richard Beckler (24) Robert Versey (23) Eric Burns (24)
G. Hall (25) Ken Gabriel (9) Bruce White (6) J. Richardson (5)
Eddie Phillips (5) B Boselem (14) M De Vries (2) Daryl Smith (17)
Alan Hamonet (2) Peter Iredinick (16) Turner (12) Boardman (16)

Scorers

Welham (1) Versey (2) Boardman (11) Turner (5) Burns (7)
Hall (7) Richardson (1) Phillips (1) Boselem (6)
Hamonet (1) Iredinick (4)

Newcastle Australia

B. Hawkins (13) Russell Mansley (26) Richard Demicola (6)
W Wonnacott (15) Graham Mc Labe (21) G. Webster (10)
Wally Hallow (25) Bruce Morrow (25) W Davies (6)
Slav Catalovski (26) Graham Cummings (16) Robbie Davies (25)
Andy Stevens (8) Norm Scott (5) Phil O'Hearne (1)
Richard Hartley (15) Alistair Hare (3) Robert Lasance (13)
A Cappellacci (8) P. Standen (4) J. Palagyi (1) J Luras (1)
Chris Kulapach (4) Graham Mc Labe (21) Mr Vayshkov (3)

Scorers

Mc Labe (1) Webster (3) Hallow (13) Morrow (13) Catalovski (14)
Cummings (6) W Davies (1) Scott (5) Hartley (2) Kulapach (4)
Stevens (1)

New Lambton.

John Marshall (25) G. Gibson (18) R. Hardes (1) Alan Davies (23)
 Warren Anderson (24) Polly Griffiths (16) Greg Schott (23)
 B. Margoribanks (26) Jack Routledge (19) Bob Greenwell (23)
 Russell Schott (25) B. Swan (14) R. Stewart (8) B. Goodwin (3)
 Stace Georgoff (5) P. Newton (1) D. Prince (1) G. Howard (2)
 P. Sheen (4) W. Luck (4) K. Barnard (15) W. Telziejack (8)
 P. Connighan (2) K. Bevan (9) Norm Scott (3)

Scorers.

G. Gibson (1) Anderson (1) Davies (1) Griffiths (1) G. Schott (1) R. Schott (11)
 Margoribanks (1) Swan (2) Georgoff (1) Barnard (2) Scott (4)

Toronto Awaba

Terry Brown (26) M. Winter (8) Dick Wilkin (14) John Penfold (23)
 R. Stewart (24) Geoff Fench (22) John Lowburn (26)
 Barry Moore (22) K. Field (21) Bogdan Duma (16) Brian Whitehead (17)
 Ian Percell (14) Ron Giles (12) John Kaiser (10) Gary Atchison (1)
 Neil Townsend (14) W. Richardson (10) Mark Anthony (1)
 Alan Moore (8) Len "Kelly" Strong (7) Brett Lowburn (1)
 Eddie Miller (1) R. Stone (2)

xx Ron Giles transferred to Cardiff during season.

Scorers

Penfold (13) Stewart (1) Fench (1) B. Moore (3) A. Moore (1)
 K. Field (4) Duma (10) Whitehead (9) Giles (2) Richardson (1)
 Strong (4) Miller (1)

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Wallsend

John Maguire (4) Wayne Wells (24) Steve Brown (24) G. Gray (6)
 Bruce Tracey (17) Alan Russell (22) Greg Frame (3) Phil Ridley (25)
 John Parkes (23) Graham Tickle (7) Stan Juchoncz (8)
 Graham Webber (21) P. Hurst (4) Lloyd Hardes (22) A. Revan (1)
 Warren Uals (12) Neil Forbes (4) Peter Partridge (8) Paul Brown (8)
 Rod Holding (9) Graham Holland (4) Richard Dear (4)
 Ross Buchanan (13) Jake Roderick (2) K. Cassell (1)
 Robbie Head (1) Merv Duff (1)

Scores.

Wells (1) Brown (1) Russell (5) Tracey (3) Ridley (3) Parkes (15)
 Juchoncz (2) Hardes (1) Uals (4) Forbes (1) Partridge (1)
 Holding (1) Dear (4) Buchanan (1)

West Wallsend

Phil Williams (16) Bill Payne (21) Dave McManus (23)
 Steve Coutts (22) P. Kemp (11) John Sneddon (26) David Hoddle (24)
 Andy Robertson (11) Steve Werrin (19) C. Coutts (15) P. Kemp (11)
 Alan Piggott (4) Adam Duckkott (19) John Whitmore (5)
 John Turnbull (18) Paul Gee (5) Ken James (18) Sel Mabbott (15)
 David Ahrens (6) D. Jones (10) R. Bailey (2) J. Woolfrey (1)
 B. Kemp (1)

Scores

McManus (1) S. Coutts (2) Sneddon (3) Hoddle (3) Robertson (3)
 P. Kemp (3) Werrin (1) Turnbull (11) C. Coutts (1) Piggott (1)
 Duckkott (4) James (10) Whitmore (1) Ahrens (1) B. Kemp (1)

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Weston

Forbes Wood (26) Tom Mc Cabe (13) Warren Halverson (26)
 Tom Sneddon (26) Robert Freebain (25) Ray Johnson (16)
 Ray Lloyd (26) Kevin Riley (21) Jerry Dobson (25)
 Jim Sloan (4) Alan Cooper (24) John Bond (10)
 Steve Koosman (14) G. Payne (5) John Turnbull (22)
 David Kamasz (8) Jack Turnbull (3) Stefan Kamasz (1)

Scores

Mc Cabe (2) Halverson (1) Johnson (1) Lloyd (7) Riley (4)
 Dobson (10) Sloan (2) Cooper (1) Bond (1) Payne (1)
 John Turnbull (10) Jack Turnbull (1) D Kamasz (2)

Semi Finals

West Wallend	1 v Edgeworth	0
Phil Williams	Robert Kaiser	
Andy Robertson	R Beagan	
Steve Couth	A Watkins	
Dave Mc Manus	W Strang	
John Sneddon	Mal Heath	
B. Kemp	Stuart Kamasz	
J. Turnbull	Marshall	
Ken James (1)	Ray Bowles	
Steve Werrin	Greg Fitts	
Dave Huddle	Peter Ioving	
P. Kemp	P. Sinclair	
	Referee Billy Jones	

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Semi Final

Weston

Forbes Wood
Robert Trebain
Warren Halverson
Tom Sneddon
Roy Johanson
Kevin Riley (1)
Ray Lloyd
Alan Cooper (1)
Tony Dobson
John Bond
John Turnbull (1)

3 v Adamstown

0

Steve Goodburn
Daryl Regan
Gary Nesbitt
Daryl Evans
Willie Gallagher
Dennis Wright
Joe Senkalski
Trevor Smythe
Graham Bull
Kevin Lagerstrom
Jim Foley

Referee Bill Disney

Final

Adamstown

Steve Goodburn
Daryl Regan
Gary Nesbitt
Daryl Evans
Willie Gallagher
Dennis Wright
Joe Senkalski
Trevor Smythe
Graham Bull
Kevin Lagerstrom
Jim Foley

2 v West Wallsend

1

Phil Williams
Andy Robertson
Steve Coutts
Dave McManus
John Sneddon
B Kemp
J. Turnbull
Ken James
Steve Werrin
David Hoddle
P. Kemp

Referee.

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Grand Final Macquarie Field 28/9/1975

1ST DIVISION.

Adamstown

1 v Weston

1

Steve Goodburn

Forbes Wood

Daryl Evans

Robert Freebain

Gary Nesbitt

Warren Halverson

Isevor Smythe

Tom Sneddon

Willie Gallagher

Roy Johnson

Dennis Wright

Kevin Riley

Joe Senkalski

Ray Lloyd

Jim Foley (1)

Alan Cooper (1)

Graham Bull

Terry Dobson

Kevin Lagerstrom

John Bond

W Alexander

John Turnbull

Referee Bill Turner.

Replay

Adamstown

2 v Weston

1

Steve Goodburn

Forbes Wood

Daryl Evans

Steve Hoosman

Gary Nesbitt

Warren Halverson

Isevor Smythe

Tom Sneddon

Willie Gallagher

Roy Johnson

Dennis Wright

Kevin Riley

Joe Senkalski

Ray Lloyd

Jim Foley (1)

Alan Cooper

Graham Bull

Terry Dobson

Kevin Lagerstrom

John Bond (1)

Warwick Alexander (1)

John Turnbull

Reserves

Reserves

D. Hearne, J. Clinton

J. Goldsmith, J. Mc Labe,

S. Wallace, M. Smith

D. Komasz, D. Stokes, G. Payne

Referee Bill Turner.

1975 Season

Points Score

Maitland	29
Central Coast United	27
Mayfield United	25
Lambton	23
Kotara South	16
Jesmond	16
Merewether Advance	16
West Lakes United	15
Raymond Terrace	13
Muswellbrook	0

** Special mention must be made of Muswellbrook. Although not gaining a single point, they fulfilled all its playing commitments without forfeiting a match.

1975 2ND DIVISION at Adamstown 24/8/1975.

Grand Final

Central Coast

3 v Maitland

2

G. Robertson

Steve Griffiths

L. Walters

Craig Kelly

A. Forder

John Davies

R. Forder

John Bennett

S. Cooper

Glen Byrnes

P. Lamb

Alan Povey

J. Lamb

Paul Osland

P. Carey

Ken McNamee

G. Lamb

Kevin Ellenor

P. Stockton

Stephen Duma

K. Ross

Rob Sneddon

Reserves

Reserves

J. Colthart

Tom Arrowsmith

M. Rafferty

Bill Moncrieff

Re

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3rd Div Grand Final at Adamstown

14/9/1975

University	1 v	Beresfield United	1
A Clough		S. Simons	
D Sull		G. Fall	
R Gough		J. Jarman	
G. Craig		R. Dunn	
R White		K. Blundell	
P. Geary		D. Wilson	
P. O'Hearne		B. Dixon	
R. Noble		W. Gray	
D. Crook		P. Scholfield	
R. Singh		P. Penglass	
C. Walsh (1)		B. Higgenbottom	
Reserves		Reserves	
J. Maher		J. Brennanowity	
R. Fitzgerald		J. Mc Sadgen	
P. Oates		J. Woodward	
G. Cousins		P. Grey	
J. Moore		J. Killen	

Referee Bob Davie

incomplete

Adamstown	6 v Wallisend 0
Steve Goodburn	Graham Kemp
Daryl Regan	Steve Brown
G. Nesbitt	Rod Holding
Ivor Smythe	Wayne Wells
Willie Gallagher	Paul Brown
Dennis Wright	Bruce Tracey
Joe Senkshaki (3)	Lloyd Standes
Steve Wallace	Warren Vials
Graham Bull (2)	Neil Forbes
Kevin Lagerstrom (1)	Graham Sickle
Warwick Alexander	Phil Ridley
	Referee Billy Jones

Semi Final

Weston	4 v Lake Macquarie 1
Forbes Wood	Ken Gabriel
Brian Trebbain	Warren Mossman
Warren Halverson	Daryl Smith
Tom Sneddon	Richard Beckler
Steve Hoosman	John Wellham
Tom McCabe (1)	Robert Versey
Ray Lloyd	Eddie Phillips
Alan Cooper	G. Hall
Jerry Dobson (1)	B. Roselean
Jim Sloan (1)	E. Burns
Kelly Strong (1)	J. Richardson
	Referee Bill Turner

Ampol Cup Final 26/3/1975

Crystal Palace Walsend.

Weston

5 v Adamstown 4

Forbes Wood

Steve Goodburn

Brian Jacobain

Daryl Regan

Warren Halverson (?)

G. Nesbitt

Tom Snedden

Ivor Smythe

John Bond

Wilkie Gallagher

Tom McCabe

Dennis Wright

Ray Lloyd

Joe Senkalski (2)

Alan Cooper

Steve Wallace (1)

Terry Dobson (2)

Graham Bull (1)

Jim Sloan (1)

Kevin Lagerstrom

Graham Payne (1)

Warwick Alexander

Referee Bill Turner

Northern N.S.W. O v Middlesborough. 8

Newcastle Sports Ground

18/5/1975

John Marshall (New Lambton)
 Forbes Wood (Weston)
 Roy Johnson (Weston)
 Warren Halverson (Weston)
 John Sneddon (West Wallend)
 Tom Sneddon (Weston)
 Alan Davies (New Lambton) V. Capt)
 John Parkes (Wallisend)
 Stuart Komasz (Edgeworth)
 Graham Bull (Adamstown)
 Trevor Smythe (Adamstown)
 Paul Greenan (Ladliff)
 Mike Southworth (Lissonock City)
 Wayne Maguire (Ham Afferni)
 Graham King (Lissonock City)
 John Cowburn (Tor. Awake)

Referee Bill Jones

Harold Hall - Bill Disney

1976 1ST DIV.	Adamstown	Cardiff	Cessnock	Edgeworth	Aggerni	Lake Macquarie	Marland	Austral	Tor. Awaba	Wallend	Weston	West Wallend
										10-123		
Adamstown	X	1-1 1.0	10.0 4.1	4.4 5.0	3.2 5.0	1-1 4.1	4.0 4.0	4.1 1.0	4.2 2.0	1.2 0.2	4.2 0.1	2.2 5.0
Cardiff	1-1 0.1	X	3.1 4.2	2.3 4.1	2.2 2.0	2.1 1-1	0.1 4.1	5.3 0.1	1.0 5.2	1.2 1-1	1.0 1-1	2.1 4.1
Cessnock City	0.10 1.4	1.3 2.4	X	0.1 0.2	0.1 0.1	2.1 0.3	4.1 2.2	1.4 2-1	1.3 0.3	2.0 0.4	1-0 0.5	0.4 2.2
Edgeworth	4.4 0.5	3.2 1.4	1.0 2.0	X	1.3 3.1	0.0 0.2	0.2 4.1	6.1 0.2	0.2 0.2	2.2 3.2	2.6 0.1	1.3 1.1
Hamilton Aggerni	2.3 0.5	2.2 0.2	1.0 1.0	3.1 1.3	X	2.0 2.2	2.0 3.0	2.2 1.2	0.3 4.4	2.1 0.3	0.5 0.2	3.3 1.5
Lake Macquarie	1-1 1.4	1.2 1-1	1.2 3.0	0.0 2.0	0.2 2.2	X	1.0 1-1	2.3 2.3	4.1 0.3	0.1 0.2	2.1 0.2	3.3 6.1
Marland	0.4 0.4	1.0 1.4	1.4 2.2	2.0 1.4	0.2 0.3	0.1 1-1	X	4.2 1.2	2.2 3.2	0.3 1-1	0.5 0.2	1.3 3.4
Newcastle Austral	0.1 1.4	3.5 1.0	4.1 1.2	1.6 2.0	2.2 2.1	3.2 3.2	2.4 2.1	X	2.4 1.0	1.3 2.3	1.0 0.2	1.2 2.1
Toronto Awaba	2.4 0.2	2.5 0.1	3.1 3.0	2.0 2.0	3.0 4.4	1.4 3.0	2.2 2.3	4.2 0.1	X	1.2 0.1	0.0 2.4	3.1 2.0
Wallend	2.1 2.0	2.1 1-1	0.2 4.0	2.2 2.3	1.2 3.0	1.0 2.0	3.0 1-1	3.1 3.2	2.1 1.0	X	3.1 1-1	2.1 2.1
Weston	2.4 1.0	0.1 1-1	0.1 5.0	6.2 1.0	5.0 2.0	1.2 2.0	5.0 2.0	0.1 2.0	0.0 4.2	1.3 1-1	X	1-1 1.2
West Wallend	2.2 0.5	1.2 1.4	4.0 2.2	3.1 1-1	3.3 5.1	3.3 1.6	3.1 4.3	2.1 1.2	1.3 0.2	1.2 1.2	1-1 2.1	X

POINT SCORE.

Adamstown (Premiers) 34) Wallend (34) Cardiff (29) Weston (26) Tor. Awaba (21)
 Newcastle Austral (21) West Wallend (20) Highfield Aggerni (19)
 Lake Macquarie (18) Edgeworth (18) Cessnock (12) Marland (12)

"Once again we have a competition that gives a club the Premiership on averages, and relegates another.

Who cares if the the season is extended by another week.

Adamstown and Wallend renowned rivals for many many years finish at the top of the table on 34 points each. Maatland and Lessnock two Coalfields clubs both finish on 12 points at the bottom of the table.

Both these matches could have been played on the same ground, the same day, or as a midweek fixture. what a promoters dream a "sellout".

This most unsatisfactory conclusion to a season should not be allowed to ever occur again, anything is better than having averages deciding the Premiership winners and a team to be relegated.

Players Appearances.

Adamstown

Steve Goodburn (22) Trevor Smythe (18) Daryl Regan (3)
Daryl Evans (21) G. Nesbitt (11) Jim Foley (21) Colin Lurran (22)
Steve Wallace (2) Graham Bull (16) Joe Senkalski (22)
Kevin Lagerstrom (20) Warwick Alexander (15)
John Clinton (19) Peter Jaye (19) W. Sievers (2) Graham Jennings (3)
Chris McKay (2) J. Harrison (4) G. Walsley (2) Mark Smith (2)

Scorers.

Evans (1) Foley (3) Lurran (5) Bull (15) Senkalski (21)
Lagerstrom (10) Jaye (2) Jennings (1) Harrison (1) Smith (1)

Lansdown

Forbes Wood (21) J. Lowery (22) Warren Whalstedt (5) Chris Beatty (11)
 G. J. Smith (22) Ron Giles (18) Mike Trebilcock (19) J. Dighton (8)
 Peter Pont (17) Paul Guinness (22) P. Wilson (22) Wayne Leamy (3)
 D Gray (1) David Roskell (20) G. Baldwin (10) W. Wimmering (11)
 Gary Hawthorne (2) G. A. Smith (9) P. Lowery (5) G. Maher (3)
 J. Pryor (1)

Scorers

Beatty (1) Giles (8) Trebilcock (6) Pont (2) Guinness (19) Wilson (5)
 Roskell (1) G. A. Smith (2)

Cessnock City.

John Hogg (22) James Hogg (16) Gary Fairlie (21) Phil Whitfield (20)
 P. Marks (20) Dennis King (19) G. Wells (20) Kerr Mc Lerie (16)
 Paul Mitchell (14) H. Branch (13) R. Broadbent (12) Paul Robertson (10)
 Paul Thompson (16) G. King (20) J. Lowan (5) G. Rochester (1)
 J. Gibson (1) Colin Sommerville (4)

Scorers

Fairlie (1) Whitfield (22) Marks (1) D. King (3) G. King 2
 Mitchell (5) Robertson (3) James Hogg (4)

Edgeworth

Robert Kaiser (21) P. Griffiths (21) A Watkins (19) M Heath (14)
 Greg Schott (14) Peter Dewhurst (9) Stuart Kamasy (22)
 Warren Anderson (20) Ray Rowles (17) Peter Irving (18)
 Jack Routledge (17) R Woods (2) G. Fitts (20) W Strong (1)
 Elliott (1) S. Marshall (8) D. O'Brien (10) B. Jackson (1)
 Fred Musialick (1) L Adams (21) D. Slott (10) R Lawrence (6)

Scores

Watkins (1) Schott (3) Dewhurst (1) Kamasy (11) Anderson (1)
 Rowles (5) Irving (5) Routledge (3) Fitts (1) O'Brien (2)

Hamilton Aggioni

D Butler (21) D Storey (20) D Howells (21) P. Cotts (18) D Rufo (20)
 Peter Farleigh (18) J Adamsthuwale (21) W McGuire (5)
 G. Hardes (15) Neville Power (22) J Lingard (16) J Hill (2)
 J Davis (10) G. Gardner (1) Mario Buzzoni (5)
 Mansell Laidler (6) Vic Hogan (4) R O'Hearne (9)
 M Weber (4) Chris Miles (1) L Gibbs (2) R Leggett (1)

Scores

Storey (2) McGuire (5) Hardes (2) Power (11) Lingard (5)
 Hill (1) Davis (3) Hogan (1) O'Hearne (2)

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Lake Macquarie

O Baldwin (21) W Mossman (5) Mark Twobell (17) G. Turner (19)
Richard Beckler (9) K Anderson (22) Greg Hall (13) Adam Duskott (22)
J Boardman (20) R Versey (15) G. Smith (1) Peter Iredinnick (20)
B Roselem (13) Eric Burns (16) Bruce Murphy (2) D Harper (7)
P. Beach (1) Mike Boogard (1) Alan Piggott (1) L. Laban (2)

Scorers

Turner (1) Hall (3) Duskott (9) Boardman (4) Versey (1)
Iredinnick (5) Roselem (9)

Maitland

Steve Griffiths (22) Craig Kelly (20) John Bennett (15) Steve Babie (13)
Alan Harrison (20) Steve Allen (20) Paul Osland (22)
Ken Boardman (22) Kevin Eleanor (22) Stefan Duma (17)
K Gardiner (6) Terry Osland (3) Bob Sneddon (1) Glenn Byrnes (4)
Richard Dear (11) Peter Partridge (9) George Wignik (13)
R Murdock (4) J. Stott (2) Mark Cook (1) Tony Foot (1)

Scorers

Allen (4) P. Osland (1) Boardman (5) Eleanor (7) Duma (6)
Gardiner (1)

1976

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Newcastle Austral

Robert Lasance (22) Graham McCabe (11) Phil Webster (9)
Russell Mansley (21) R Davies (18) Richard Hartley (22)
Wal Kallour (21) Chris Kulapach (21) Tony Russo (3)
Slav Catalowski (22) A Smith (2) Lee Bennis (2)
Mico Seblie (2) Richard Demicola (16) Paul Paulus (11)
G. Butler (8) G. Cummings (14) Steve Georgeff (10)
P. Sinclair (11)

Scores

Hartley (4) Kallour (6) Kulapach (1) Catalowski (12)
Paulus (3) Cummings (2) Georgeff (5) Sinclair (2)

Toronto Awaba

Larry Brown (8) M Anthony (14) John Penfold (21)
R Stewart (22) Alan Moore (11) K Field (19) Brett Lowburn (20)
Bogdan Duma (20) W Richardson (1) Brian Whitehead (21)
R Stone (5) John Lowburn (22) Ian Purcell (12) John Kaiser (3)
M Winter (14) Geoff Finch (20) G McRae (9) Dick Wilkin (5)
Jolly Strong (3) W Penfold (3) Wayne Gambrell (2)

Scores

Penfold (7) Stewart (1) Field (2) Lowburn (6) Duma (7)
Whitehead (8) Lowburn (1) Purcell (1) McRae (3)
Strong (1) Penfold (1) Gambrell (1)

1976

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Walsend

Lester Forrester (22) Merv Duff (22) Bruce Tracey (22)
Steve Brown (22) Alan Russell (21) Lloyd Hardes (22)
Ray Lloyd (22) John Parkes (22) Stan Juchonecz (22)
John Whitmore (21) Phil Ridley (19) G. Holland (6)
A Stevens (2)

Scorers

Tracey (3) Russell (1) Hardes (2) Lloyd (6) Parkes (14)
Juchonecz (9) Whitmore (5) Ridley (3)

Weston

Ossie Bellamy (5) R Freebain (11) Tom Sneddon (22) John Bond (10)
Steve Koosman (19) Mike Davies (22) Derek Thompson (19)
Alan Cooper (7) David Kamasz (20) Jack Turnbull (21)
John Turnbull (22) J. Stokes (1) David Cresswell (1)
Roy Johnson (20) Tommy McCabe (3) Kevin Riley (5)
Jim Goldsmith (17) David Stoker (15) G. Samuel (13)

Scorers

Kamasz (8) Bond (2) J. J. Turnbull (9) J. J. Turnbull (13)
McCabe (2) Stoker (3) Samuel (4)

1976

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West Wallsend

Phil Williams (22) Bill Pryce (20) Dave Mc Manus (21)
 John Sneddon (22) Steve Louths (18) Andy Robertson (5)
 David Hoddle (22) Alan Piggott (1) Steve Werrin (16)
 John Turnbull (17) Ken James (20) G. Jones (3) Paul Kemp (21)
 Sel Mabbott (12) Colin Louths (1) J Woolfrey (6) B. Kemp (9)
 P. Gee (2) J. Helmes (1) Alan Eacott (5) J Hoddle (1)
 C Werrin (3) S. Duck (1)

Scores.

S. eddon (9) S. Louths (1) Robertson (1) Hoddle (4) Werrin (11)
 Turnbull (8) James (4) Kemp (1)

Semi Finals.

Cardiff	3	Weston	1
Forbes Wood		Jim Goldsmith	
David Roskell		Ray Johnson	
Chris Beatty		Steve Koosman	
G. Smith		Tom Sneddon	
Mike Trebilcock (2)		Mike Davies	
Ron Giles		J Turnbull (1)	
J. Conway		G. Stokes	
Paul Greenan		J. J. Turnbull	
W. Winniarow		D Thompson	
G Baldwin		David Hamery	
P Wilson (1)		G. Samuels	

Referee ..

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Semi-Final

Adamstown

Steve Goodburn

Daryl Evans

John Clinton

Trevor Smythe

Lola Curran

Gary Nesbitt/Steve Wallace

J. Hemson/W. Alexander

Joe Senkalski

Kevin Lagerstrom (1)

M. Smith

Peter Joyce

1 v Wallend 0

Lester Forrester

Merv Duff

Steve Brown

Bruce Tracey

Alan Russell

Ray L. Lloyd

John Parkes

Lloyd Handes

John Whitmore

Stan Juchnicuz

Phil Ridley

Referee -

Final

Wallend

Lester Forrester

Merv Duff

S. Brown

Bruce Tracey

Alan Russell

Ray L. Lloyd

S. Juchnicuz

John Whitmore

John Parkes

Phil Ridley

Lloyd Handes

0 v Lardiff 0

Forbes Wood

J. Convery

D. Roskell

G. Baldwin

G. Smith

C. Beatty

Mike Trebelcock

G. Smith

Paul O'Leenan

Ron Giles

P. Wilson

Referee -

Replay of Final

WallSEND 2 v Landiff 0

Lester Forrester	Forbes Wood
Merv Duff	J. Convery
Steve Brown / G. Holland	David Roskell
Bruce Tracey	G. Baldwin
Alan Russell	G. Smith
Ray Lloyd	C Beatty
Stan Juchniewicz	Mike Trebilcock
John Whitmore (?)	W Winniarowicz
John Parkes (?)	Paul Queman
Phil Ridley	Ron Giles
Lloyd Hardes	P. Wilson

Referee . .

Grand Final Macquarie Field

Adamstown 3 v WallSEND 0

Steve Goodburn	Lester Forrester / Graham Webber
Daryl Evans	Merv Duff
John Clinton	Steve Brown
Colin Curran	Bruce Tracey
Ivor Smythe	Alan Russell
Jim Foley	Ray Lloyd
Peter Jaze	Lloyd Hardes
Joe Senkalski (3)	Stan Juchniewicz
Kevin Lagerstrom	John Whitmore
Gary Nesbitt	John Parkes
Warwick Alexander	Phil Ridley

Referee Bill Disney

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B.P. Series

Semi Finals

Toronto Awaba

3 v Adamstown 2

Jerry Brown

Steve Goodburn

J. Lockburn

Daryl Regan

J. Purcell

G. Nesbitt

R Stewart

G. Walmsley

John Kaiser

Daryl Evans

K Field

Colin Curran

Geoff Finch

Joe Senkalski (1)

Brodan Duma (1)

Jim Foley (1)

John Penfold (1)

Peter Jaye

Brett Lowburn (1)

Kevin Lagerstrom

Brian Whitehead

Warwick Alexander

Referee Bill Disney

Semi Finals.

Edgeworth

3 v Landiff 2

Robert Kaiser

G. Walker

P. Griffiths

D. Gray

A Watkins

W. Whalstedt

M. Heath

C. Beatty

W. Anderson (1)

G. Smith

Peter Dewhurst

Wayne Leary

Greg Schott (1)

Mike Trebilcock (1)

G. Fitts

Peter Pont

Ray Bowles (1)

Paul Queenan

Peter Irving

Ron Giles (1)

Jack Routledge

P. Wilson

Referee Jimmy Reeves.

1976

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Final	B P Series
Toronto Awaba	3 v Edgeworth 1
Terry Brown	Robert Kaiser
John Penfold (2)	P. Griffiths
J. Purcell	R Woods
R. Stewart	W Anderson
John Kaiser	M Ikath
J. Lockburn	Peter Dewhurst
M Winter	Greg Schott
K. Field	Jack Routledge
Borlan Duma	Ray Bowles (1)
Brett Lowburn	Peter Irving
Brian Whitehead (1)	G. Leth
Referee: John Tattersall	

1976 Season

Second Division Points Score

Central Coast United	38
Belmont Swansea	31
Charlestown	31
Stewarts & Lloyd	27
Jesmond	26
West Lakes United	25
Mayfield United	22
New Lambton	19
Lambton	15
Raymond Terrace	15
Kotara South	10
Merewether Advance	5

1976.

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Northern N.S.W. v Tottenham Hotspurs
Newcastle 14/5/1976.

John Hogg (Lessnock)
John Lowburn (Tor. Awaba)
Tom Sneddon (Weston)
Colin Curran (Adamstown)
Mike Davies (Weston)
Stuart Kamasz (Edgeworth)
Jim Foley (Adamstown)
Peter Irving (Edgeworth)
Lloyd Hardes (WallSEND)
Joe Senkalski (Adamstown)
Slaw Catalowski (Australi)
Neville Power (Azzurri)
John Ironbull (Weston)
Lester Forrester (WallSEND)

Referee Bill Turner.

1977	Adamstown	Austral	Cardiff	Central Coast	Edgeworth	Offgum	Lake Macquarie	Maitland	Toronto-Awaba	Wallend	Weston	West Wallend	Pows
Adamstown	X	1.0 3.4	2.1 1.0	3.1 2.0	3.0 2.1	1.1 0.2	1.3 2.1	3.0 1.1	6.1 3.2	3.1 2.0	3.4 1.4	0.0 1.1	30
Austral United	0.1 4.3	X	4.2 1.0	3.1 3.0	1.4 1.5	2.2 1.7	1.1 1.1	3.2 0.0	1.8 1.2	3.3 0.1	0.2 1.3	1.5 1.2	17
Cardiff	1.2 0.1	2.4 0.1	X	4.0 1.0	1.3 0.2	2.0 1.2	0.1 0.4	2.0 0.0	0.3 3.1	0.0 1.0	0.1 1.2	0.4 4.0	16
Central Coast Utd	1.3 0.2	1.3 0.3	0.4 0.1	X	3.5 1.0	2.3 1.2	2.1 1.5	4.0 3.1	1.3 1.1	0.5 1.2	1.4 1.0	1.2 0.5	13
Edgeworth	0.2 1.2	4.1 5.1	3.1 2.0	5.3 0.1	X	1.0 4.1	2.1 1.0	1.0 3.0	0.6 3.0	2.4 1.2	4.2 1.0	7.3 2.1	32
Highfields Offgum	1.1 2.0	2.2 7.1	0.2 2.1	3.2 2.1	0.1 1.4	X	1.2 1.1	4.2 7.0	1.0 4.1	0.0 3.1	0.2 1.3	0.2 1.3	23
Lake Macquarie	3.1 1.2	1.1 1.1	1.0 4.0	1.2 5.1	1.2 0.1	2.1 1.1	X	2.0 2.1	0.2 2.3	3.5 0.4	0.3 2.1	0.0 0.0	21
Maitland	0.3 1.1	2.3 0.0	0.2 0.0	0.4 1.3	0.1 0.3	2.4 0.7	0.2 1.2	X	• 2.1	0.1 1.2	1.5 1.4	2.4 0.4	5
Toronto Awaba	1.6 2.3	8.1 2.1	3.0 1.3	3.1 1.1	6.0 0.3	0.1 1.4	2.0 3.2	• 1.2	X	1.3 0.2	1.3 2.5	• 1.2	19
Wallend	1.3 0.2	3.3 1.0	0.0 0.1	5.0 1.2	4.2 2.1	0.0 1.3	5.3 4.0	1.0 2.1	3.1 2.0	X	1.2 1.2	1.1 5.0	27
Weston	4.3 4.1	2.0 3.1	1.0 2.1	4.1 0.1	2.4 0.1	2.0 3.1	3.0 1.2	5.1 4.1	3.1 5.2	2.1 2.1	X	0.1 2.0	34
West Wallend	0.0 1.1	5.1 2.1	4.0 0.4	2.1 5.0	3.7 1.2	2.0 3.1	0.0 0.0	4.2 4.0	• 2.1	1.1 0.5	1.0 0.2	X	27

1st Div Referees

Billy Jones, Jim Reeves, Bill Screen, Tom Brennan, Brian Ray.
 Alan Townsend, Bob Warren, John Tattersall, Bobby Davies, Alf Rodway
 Bill Disney, Dennis Glanville, Bill Turner, Gil Duncan, Ken Hicks
 K Henry, Skyland, A Sacchetta, Henry Coavery, Warren Miller
 Harold Hall.

Players Appearances

Adamstown

B. Butler (16) Steve Goodburn (6) Daryl Evans (14) Trevor Smythe (21)
 John Clinton (20) Daryl Regan (12) Wal Kallour (20)
 Kevin Lagerstrom (22) G. Nesbitt (22) Eric Burns (20) J. Wilson (12)
 Jim Foley (17) Graham Jennings (11) D. Allomes (9) Peter Jaze (3)
 G. Hills (9) M. Smith (6) B. Davis (7) P. Watson (2)
 D. McLeod (3) P. Hodges (1)

Scorers.

Smythe (1) Kallour (3) Lagerstrom (12) Nesbitt (3) Burns (1)
 Wilson (3) Foley (4) Jennings (1) Allomes (2) Hills (2) Smith (5)
 McLeod (1)

Austral United

D. Jones (19) Chris Kulapach (22) Jim Hitchcock (18) R. Davies (19)
 Russell Mansley (18) Graham McCabe (21) Tony Russ (18)
 Slav Catalovski (22) Stace Georgeff (9) Paul Paulus (16) W. Strong (3)
 R. Appleby (3) Richard Hartley (20) P. Standen (3) P. Webster (12)
 D. Dodds (1) G. Butler (7) R. Demicola (1) J. Georgeff (9) G. Webster (1)
 J. Sulliman (4) P. Vetrovski (4)

Scorers.

Mansley (2) McCabe (3) Russ (3) Catalovski (12) A. Georgeff (3)
 Paulus (2) Hartley (3) Webster (2) G. Butler (2).

Lardiff.

Forbes Wood (22) J. Conway (13) C. Beatty (19) David Roskell (13)
 G. Smith (15) J. Doughton (20) P. Conway (19) Alan Linsley (14)
 W. Winniarowicz (22) Paul Queenan (20) P. Wilson (12) G. Baldwin (9)
 Mike Treblecock (12) D. Gray (4) Gary Hawthorne (4)
 G. Maher (10) W. Miller (4) A. Lamb (4) B. Margombankis (7)
 C. Farmer (3) B. Jenkins (4) Brett Fawkes (1) J. Zajic (1) D. Yorkie (1)
 J. Avellis (2)

Scores

Beatty (1) Doughton (2) Winniarowicz (1) Queenan (11)
 Wilson (7) Avellis (1).

Central Coast United

A. Watson (13) W. Miller (13) W. Miller (13) M. Roferty (17)
 D. Mellish (21) Archie Blue (14) J. Colthart (14) J. Lamb (17)
 G. Lumb (13) P. Voolyhs (21) J. Keddie (15) R. Boulter (5)
 G. Robertson (6) I. Walters (16) A. Cooper (7) D. Swindells (13)
 P. Stockton (12) R. Forder (4) S. Laynes (3) D. Upton (11)
 P. Gray (1) B. Holt (4) G. Smith (2) A. Scarfe (3)

Scores.

Miller (1) Millen (3) Mellish (1) Lamb (5) Lumb (2)
 Upton (2) Voolyhs (2) Keddie (4) Forder (1) Holt (3)

Edgeworth

Fred Musialik (11) Warren Anderson (19) D Smith (14)
 P. Griffiths (22) Stuart Kamasz (18) David Kamasz (22)
 P. Gleeson (15) Jack Routledge (20) Jim McBreen (22)
 Alan Parkinson (16) Peter Iving (16) P. Newton (11)
 P. Kemp (11) A Davies (16) J. Payton (19) R Lawrence (5)
 M Dempsey (1) A Watkins (4)

Scores

S. Kamasz (2) D Kamasz (9) Routledge (11) McBreen (15)
 Parkinson (7) Iving (2) Payton (5) Lawrence (1)

Highfields Azzurri

D Butler (20) G. Byrne (19) Wayne Maguire (22) Paul Cotts (17)
 Peter Fairleigh (22) M Weber (14) Steve Wallace (20)
 J. Adamsthwaite (22) Victor Hogan (20) Warwick Alexander (15)
 Neville Power (17) K. Stenden (8) George Niznik (10)
 J. Lingard (7) R O'Hesone (2) D Storey (3) D Rufo (5)
 Dale Rowney (1) J. Carr (1) G. Hogan (1) J. Maguire (3)

Scores.

W Maguire (5) Weber (1) Adamsthwaite (4) Wallace (11)
 V. Hogan (13) Alexander (1) Power (6) Niznik (1) Lingard (1)

Lake Macquarie

J. Greig (5) Mark Twohill (4) Mike Boogard (7)
 Greig Grese (14) Jk Anderson (10) Bruce Murphy (18)
 Wayne Leary (20) John Welham (20) Richard Beckler (20)
 Robert Versey (21) G. Turner (22) Craig Johnston (8)
 Mal McClelland (20) Peter Fredinnick (18) W Mossman (8)
 Alan Piggott (6) Stace Georgeff (14) D Harper (5) B Boselem (17)
 D Baldwin (3) D. Fredinnick (2) J Richardson (1)

Scores

Murphy (2) W Leary (2) Beckler (2) Versey (2) Turner (1)
 Johnston 2 McClelland (2) P. Fredinnick (4)
 Georgeff (2) Boselem (10) Boogard (1)
 *** Would you please note that Craig Johnston is the
 Craig Johnston who would become famous as a
 Professional with Liverpool, and also the son of Colin "Bones"
 Johnston of West Wallend fame.

Maitland

Steve Griffiths (20) Ken Boardman (21) Dick Wilkin (19)
 Wayne Wills (21) John Bennett (19) Paul Osland (21)
 George Niznik (8) Tony Foot (19) Kevin Ellenor (14) Steve Allen (20)
 Mike Lee (9) Alan Harrison (4) Tony Faulkner (13) Mike Baron (13)
 Terry Osland (20) David Roberts (8) Wayne Aquinas (2)
 John Davies (10) Weston Doley (3) Ray Hmetyk (2)
 Barry Mangoven (14) Steve Outram (1) P. Fitzgerald (2)

Scorers

Boardman (3) Foot (2) Ellenor (2) Allen (4) Lee (1) Faulkner (1)

Toronto Awaba.

Mr Anthony (9) Ian Purcell (20) R Stone (14) R Stewart (19)
 K Field (18) John Lowburn (19) G King (19) Brett Lowburn (17)
 Graham Bull (21) Bogdan Duma (20) W Miller (7) Jerry Brown (11)
 Brian Whitehead (18) Stefan Duma (2) John Duma (5)
 Kelly Strong (8) W Penfold (7) S Jones (8) J Schrader (1)
 J Dumont (2) D Frost (1)

Scores.

Purcell (2) B. Lowburn (3) Bull (18) S. Duma (4) Miller (1)
 Whitehead (2) J. Duma (3) Strong (2) Penfold (1) Frost (1)

Walkend

Lester Forrester (12) D Richards (8) G Holland (22) Steve Brown (20)
 Alan Russell (21) Phil Ridley (21) Bruce Tracey (22) Warren Vials (20)
 Ray Bowles (17) John Parkes (21) G. Cummings (7) B Dixon (1)
 John Whitmore (5) D Fenwick (1) R Stevens (4) Merv Duff (16)
 Neil Endicott (15) Graham Webber (11) Glen Ray (6)
 Jerry Dobson (1)

Scores.

Russell (1) Tracey (8) Vials (12) Bowles (7)
 Parkes (6) Cummings (1) Endicott (6)

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Weston

Ossie Bellamy (20) R. Freebain (8) Roy Johnson (16)
Derek Thompson (18) Mike Davies (17) Tom Sneddon 22
D. Stoker (21) Dennis King (21) J.B. Turnbull (22) J. J. Turnbull (21)
J. J. Turnbull (20) Tom McCabe (5) Steve Hoosman (11)
Peter Robbins (14) G. Peters (3) Marshall Soper (3)
David Cresswell (1) Robert Lasance (6) W. Allan (5)
Kevin Riley (9) S. Townsend (1) K. Gardiner (1)

Scorers

Bellamy (2) Johnson (1) Stoker (6) D. King (1) Cresswell (1)
J.B. Turnbull (17) J. J. Turnbull (7) J. J. Turnbull (11) Riley (1)

West Wallsend

Phil Williams (20) Paul Gee (19) John Sneddon (18) S. Loutts (17)
Dave Mc Manus (8) Steve Bland (16) Greg Fitts (18) Sel Mabbott (15)
John Bullock (19) D. Harrison (21) Steve Werrin (17) Ken James (21)
Lemon Doyle (13) Adam Duckkott (16) L. Adams (1) D. O'Brien (5)
A. Kacott (1) Peter Dewhurst (2) Trevor Morris (1) Bill Pryce (1)

Scorers

Sneddon (3) Loutts (2) Bland (3) Fitts (2) Bullock (1)
Harrison (7) Werrin (10) James (7) Doyle (2) Duckkott (3)

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Semi Finals

Adamstown	0 v	Wallend	0
Steve Goodburn		Graham Webber	
Daryl Regan		Merv Duff	
Daryl Evans		G. Holland	
John Clinton		Steve Brown	
Gary Nesbitt		Alan Russell / R Richards	
Eric Burns		Phil Ridley	
Trevor Smythe		Bruce Tracey	
Kevin Lagerstrom		Warren Vials	
Jim Foley		Ray Bowles	
Graham Jennings		John Parkes	
Mark Smith		Neil Endicott	
Referee.			

Replay Semi Final

Adamstown	1 v	Wallend	2
Steve Goodburn		Graham Webber	
Daryl Regan		Merv Duff	
Daryl Evans		G. Holland	
John Clinton		Steve Brown	
Gary Nesbitt		Alan Russell / R Richards	
Eric Burns		Phil Ridley	
Trevor Smythe		Bruce Tracey	
Mark Smith		Warren Vials	
Kevin Lagerstrom		Ray Bowles (1)	
Jim Foley		John Parkes	
Graham Jennings (1)		Neil Endicott (1)	
Referee.			

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Semi Final

Edgeworth

P. Newton
D. Smith
P. Griffiths
W. Anderson
P. Gleeson
David Komazs
J. Mc Breen
J. Parkinson (1)
J. Routledge
P. Irving
G. Payton (2)

3. Weston 1

Ossie Bellamy
Roy Johnson
Derek Thompson
Tom Sneddon
Mike Davies
Dennis King
David Stokes (1)
Tom McCabe
J. B. Turnbull
J. J. Turnbull
J. J. Turnbull

Referee..

Final

Weston

1. Wallhead 0

Ossie Bellamy
Roy Johnson
Derek Thompson
Tom Sneddon
Mike Davies
Dennis King
David Stokes
Tom McCabe
J. B. Turnbull (1)
J. J. Turnbull
J. J. Turnbull

Grahame Webber
Merv Duff
G. Holland
Steve Brown
Alan Russell
Phil Ridley
Bruce Tracey
Warren Vials
Ray Bowles
John Parker
Neil Endicott

Referee..

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1st Div Grand Final

Crystal Palace Walthamstow.

Weston

1 v Edgeworth

0

Ossie Bellamy

P. Newton

Roy Johnson

D. Smith

Derek Thompson

P. Griffiths

Tom Sneddon

W. Anderson

Mike Davies

P. Gleeson

Dennis King

D. Kamesz

D. and Stokes/W. Allen (?)

J. Mc Breen

Tom Mc Cabe

J. Parkinson

J. B. Turnbull

J. Routledge

J. J. Turnbull

P. Irving

J. G. Turnbull

G. Payton

Referee Billy Jones.

**EDGEWORTH EAGLES FIRST DIVISION
GRAND FINALISTS - 1977.**



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1977

Back Row. P. Bobbins, J. J. Turnbull, J. T. Turnbull, J. B. Turnbull
 Middle Row. M. Lomas (Mgr) D. Thompson (Capt) D. Stoker, R. Lassance,
 O. Bellamy, C. Harper, M. Luccessi (Coach) W. Hawley (Sec)
 Front Row. T. Lynch (Masseur) T. McCabe, M. Davies, W. Allan, D. King
 T. Snedden, J. Beatty (Pres)
 Absent. R. Johnson, K. Riley



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B. P. Final.

Weston	3v	Wallsend	2
Ossie Bellamy		Lester Forrester	
Mike Davies		Graham Holland	
Roy Johnson		Brian Dixon	
Tom Sneddon		Steve Brown	
Berek Thompson		Alan Russell	
David Stoker		Phil Ridley	
Dennis King		Bruce Tracey (1)	
Tom McCabe		Ray Bowles	
J. B. Turnbull (1)		John Whitmore	
J. I. Turnbull (1)		John Parkes	
J. J. Turnbull (1)		Neil Radicott / G. Cummings (1)	
		Referee Jim Reeves	

1977 Season

Second Division Points Score

Cessnock	37
Belmont Swansea	33
Chalrestown	26
West Lakes	26
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Northern N S W Tour New Zealand
 Northern N S W 3 v Wairarapa 1

Lester Forrester
 Russell Mansley
 Warren Anderson
 John Sneddon (1)
 Steve Loutts
 Steve Brown
 Neville Power
 J. Dighton (1)
 Jack J. Turnbull (1)
 Paul Queenan
 John J. Turnbull
 Ossie Bellamy
 D. Stokes

(All Players used)

Northern N S W 5 v Wellington U/23 0.

Ossie Bellamy
 John Cowburn
 John Sneddon (2)
 Steve Loutts
 Warren Anderson
 Phil Ridley
 Neville Power (1)
 J. Dighton
 P. Wilson
 Paul Queenan
 John J. Turnbull

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Northern N.S.W. 1 v Central League 2

Ossie Bellamy

Russell Mansley

John Sneddon

Steve Brown

Warren Anderson

Neville Power

David Stokes/Phil Ridley

J. Doughton

P. Wilson

Paul Queenan (1)/Jack J. Turnbull

John J. Turnbull

Northern N.S.W. 1 v Wellington XI 0

Lester Forrester/Ossie Bellamy

John Cowburn

John Sneddon

Steve Coutts

Warren Anderson/Russell Mansley

Neville Power

Phil Ridley

J. Doughton

Jack J. Turnbull

Paul Queenan (1)

John J. Turnbull

OUR REPRESENTATIVES

Weston Soccer Club has been providing players for N.N.S.W. representative teams for many years, and the season just passed was no exception, but a change of emphasis from established players to a more youthful team, saw the emergence of some new Weston representative stars.

Joining the honours list was flamboyant goalkeeper Ossie Bellamy, who in his second year with the Bears, sparked in to tremendous form and collected more honours in one season than most players do in a lifetime. His top class performances earned him a place in the N.N.S.W. team that toured New Zealand.

David Stoker was another who gained his first senior representative honour by being included in the touring team.

David came through the Weston junior ranks and broke through to a regular first team spot during season 1976. Playing as a mid-fielder, his aggression and tenacious tackling made him a great asset in mid-field defensive play this year, and he still managed to score six goals in the Rothmans Premiership series.

Jack T. Turnbull who had been a first team "fringe" player for some years, pushed himself into Max Luccessi's team as a front runner and into the representative team at the same time. Both Luccessi and northern rep. coach Mike Treblecock have high opinions of Turnbull's industry and skills, but the best of him is yet to come, and it could well be next season playing in a mid-field role.

The fourth player to gain selection in the touring team was left winger John J. Turnbull. John is no stranger to representative football, having played for N.N.S.W. since 1976. He is only 21 years old and looks to have plenty of rep. football left in him. Although hampered this season with a troublesome leg injury, he produced his best form at the right time — during the semi-finals.



MAX LUCCESSI

MAX CALLS IT A DAY

It is no surprise that the Weston team's successes in the early seventies coincided with the arrival into the Bears camp of coach Max Luccessi.

Luccessi took over the Weston coaching position at the start of the 1971 season and by mid-way through the premiership race had moulded a team that was to go through the remainder of the season undefeated, win the Minor Premiership, and rattle up a record 5-0 grand final win over Wallsend.

That was the first of three consecutive grand final wins that Max engineered before returning to his homeland for a spell. The fortunes of the Bears fluctuated in the ensuing years before he was to return to take over the Weston reigns in 1976.

The '76 season was less than successful but Max was well aware of the problems that had to be solved, and when his team lifted the 1977 pre-season B.P. Shield he knew that, once again, he had a capable team on his hands.

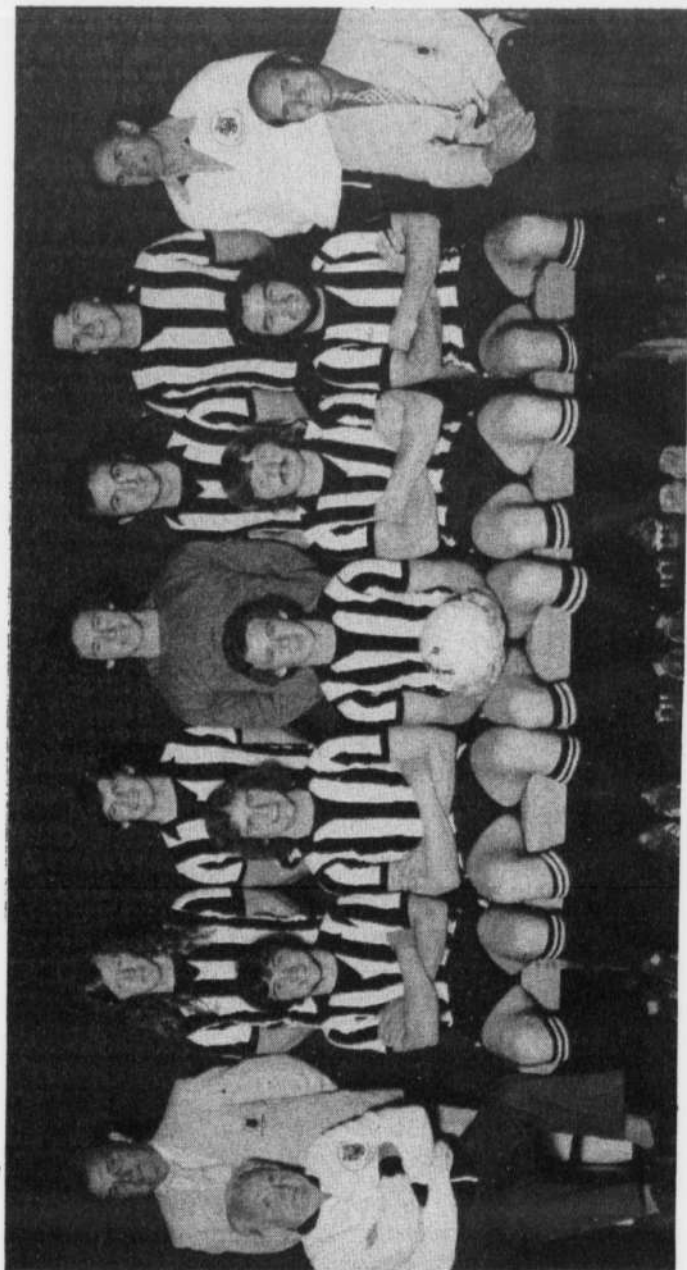
It is a great tribute to him that, in this, his retiring year, he and his team swept all before them in northern soccer capturing all the major trophies, and he, more than anyone, deserves the applause for restoring his team to its former glories.

Weston Soccer Club owes you a great debt of gratitude — thank you Max Luccessi.



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